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# U. S. Lacks First Rate Air Defense

## Coolidge Told Nation Far Behind World In Aviation.

Washington Dec 8 — Lack of an adequate aircraft industry is a matter of grave concern to the government in the judgment of the national advisory committee for aeronautics as expressed in its annual report transmitted to congress today by President Coolidge

An aircraft industry is essential to national defense the report declared One lesson of the war that will not be forgotten is that it takes a great deal of money to develop healthy an aircraft industry almost from nothing The American people can ill afford to pay that price a second time

BAD CONDITION

If the government is concerned that there should be at least an adequate nucleus capable of rapid expansion to meet war needs the report continued To that end it recommended steps to remedy substantially the existing bad condition but declared that it depends either to increase the volume of government orders for aircraft or to allot such orders without regard to competitive bidding which does not meet the necessity

The committee suggested four means to produce the necessary types of aircraft at reduced cost and also assure manufacturers of adequate peace time markets the steps to be taken by the aircraft builders were to readjust plants to a peace time basis immediately and for specialization on particular types of ships

LAUNCH PROGRAM

The suggested for the government were to fix a balanced production program for the army navy and post office with needs and types made known far in advance and to place orders for different types at such intervals as to insure continuous development of production and the gradual development of special facilities and skill of every manufacturer in the production of a given type of aircraft

While the air mail service was classed as the most important development at present today the report pointed out that the chief reason for faster commercial flying progress in Europe was a military consideration

MORE IN SAFETY

While speed and maneuver ability might be prime military factors for aircraft and aviation required more in the way of safety in operation and low cost of equipment and maintenance the report said The point where these economic factors with aircraft justified general use of airplanes had not been reached in the United States it added

As general conditions the board suggested

The continuous prosecution of aircraft research work

Continuation of the airmail service and of the post office department

Steps to increase the reliability and economy of operation of commercial aircraft with reasonable regulation of fliers and flying fields

Continued study of the air defense problem and continued support of aviation development in the army and navy

In transmitting the report President Coolidge concurred in the general recommendations and agreed that in the last analysis substantial progress in aviation is dependent upon the continuous prosecution of scientific research

# FARM FEDERATION IN ANNUAL PARLEY

## Open Forum to Feature Program.

Chicago Dec 8—The sixth annual meeting of the American Farm Federation opened here today to last through Wednesday A feature of today's session will be an open forum in the evening O E Bradfute president of the federation was on the program for the opening address Other speakers will be W S Hill of the shipping board and C W Hunt of the federal reserve commission

'Equality for agriculture' was the subject of a talk by George N Peek of Moline Ill. Forty-four state farm bureaus and several hundred co-operate marketing association will be represented

## STATE BEEKEEPERS MEET DEC. 9 AND 10

Chicago Dec 8—The Illinois Beekeepers Association is to hold its annual meeting on Dec 9 and 10, at Springfield

One of their principal speakers will be Mr Morley Pettit of Georgetown Ontario the largest beekeeper of the Canadian provinces He produces honey by the carload and is to describe the methods which have made him so successful

There will be many other prominent men of the bee world present, including J I Hambleton A W McKay H H Root, C P Dadant J R Wooldridge A L Kildow W H Snyder, Wallace Park and A C Baxter.

# COALITION IN GERMANY IS SHORT SEATS

## Situation Unclarified As Majority Is Lacking.

Berlin Dec 8—(AP)—The outcome of yesterday's general elections leaves the parliamentary situation wholly unclarified as the new party line up in the Reichstag precludes the formation of a three party coalition composed of the Socialists the Clericals and the Democrats in the opinion of political leaders

According to the latest returns these three parties have elected a total of [illegible] members of the Reichstag and with only this number to depend upon the leaders fear this liberal combination would be unable to command a dependable majority even if it were given the support of the Bavarian People's party with its 19 votes

THE HEAVY VOTE

The other alternative suggested by the increased number of deputies due to the unexpectedly heavy vote is that of a four party coalition taking in the Socialists the Clericals Democrats and the Stresemann peoples party The component units of this combination would represent political elements of hostile contrasts however and it could only maintain a parliamentary existence it is pointed out if the parties composing it subscribed to a political truce

To this extent the leader of the liberal parties are inclined to view yesterday's election as a dead heat and anything but a hopeful advance in the direction of forming a government which would rest on a broad center base and command a majority of sufficient size to give it an era of unhampered parliamentary action

FINAL RESULTS

The provisionally final results of the election as compiled shortly after noon today were as follows

Social Democrats 100 seats German Nationalists 104 Centrists (Clericals) 67 German Peoples party 30 Communists 14 German Democrats 1 Bavarian Peoples party 19 Extreme Nationalists 14 Economic party 10 Farmers party 4 Other parties 8

# LET US ALONE, IS STATE SOLON'S PLEA

## Frowns on Office Seekers, Favor Hunters.

Chicago Dec 8—(AP)— Folks back home can help the Fifty-Fourth General Assembly set a record of economy and retrenchment State Representative Howard P. Castle of Chicago believes by refraining from asking for new jobs monuments or state bonds

The people of Illinois according to Mr Castle have a right to expect of their 54th general assembly a session characterized by economy. It would be a very pleasant surprise for the taxpayers and a splendid example for all municipal taxing bodies if the state tax rate, due to decreased appropriations by the legislature could be materially reduced

ANOTHER POINT

'To attain that end it is absolutely vital that the rules of the last session requiring appropriation bills to be in print and on the desks of the members three days before final passage and forbidding the inclusion of new items in conference committee reports be readopted The so-called Omnibus Bill until last session regarded as almost sacred from attack should be reported out of committee as early as possible in the session and thoroughly considered on the floor in both houses before passage

The folks back home can be of great help by neither asking for creation of any new jobs nor resisting the abolition of any unnecessary old ones and by not seeking the erection of any monuments or the issuance of any more state bonds for any purpose whatever

## MEXICAN BANDITS KILL 11 CIVILIANS

Mexico City Dec 8—(AP)—Eleven unarmed civilians were killed and seven seriously wounded when seventy bandits raided the town of Tapalpa, in the state of Jalisco

## TWO BANKERS SAY SUSPECTS GUILTY

Peoria, Ill, Dec 8—Officials of two more banks one in Davenport, Iowa and the other in Converse Ind have identified Clifton Swift and Edward Morgan held for robbing the Vermont Ill State Bank recently in which $80,000 was stolen

# CAPTAIN AND LIEUTENANTS IN RUM PLOT

## U. S. Army Men Will Be Named in Liquor Theft.

Chicago Dec 8—That one army captain and several lieutenants who had supervision of a military guard posted at the government's warehouse here where a band of men raided a $ 000 000 supply of the liquors last week, will be involved in the theft was indicated yesterday by federal authorities investigating

Whether they will be involved in charges of neglect of duty or charges of collusion in the raid authorities did not announce Their names have been withheld

SEEK PROCEDURE

Military authorities of the Sixth Corps Area and department of justice officials were to confer today on procedure to be taken against the officers they announced yesterday

Approximately $800 000 worth of liquor is held in the warehouse in the quartermaster depot was stolen in the raid Rolling steel doors were cut into by the band of robbers and the liquor carried away in trucks

# OIL MEN DEFEND THEIR INDUSTRY

## "Not As Black As Painted," Claim.

Fort Worth Tex Dec 8—(AP)—Feeling that the oil industry has been misunderstood and that its leaders should let the public know that it is not as black as has been painted the board of directors of the American Petroleum Institute today announced that it plans to consider at the annual session which opens here tomorrow a campaign of education

The program of the meeting also will include the standardization of equipment the underlying idea of which its leaders say is diminution of overhead costs and passing the saving on to the ultimate consumer, especially the man with-a family flivver whose radius of easy travel they point out has been widened manyfold by gasoline

OIL PROSPECTOR

Still another subject of considerable importance refers to the oil prospector, whether he is an individual or a corporation and his income tax It was pointed out that money often is fruitlessly spent running into many thousands of dollars sinking wells which prove to be barren Later perhaps an oil strike is made and the federal government taking no note of previous failures impersonally gathers its percentage of the proceeds as may be reflected in income

The subject of educating the public is expected to come before the board of directors at its meeting Wednesday Present tentative plans are that the campaign may last through a series of years and fully cover the relations of the industry with the public

Tomorrow the board of councilors are to nominate candidates for election to the board of directors

# TOY MAKERS END WORK FOR YEAR

## 30,000,000 Board Feet of Lumber Used.

Washington Dec 8 — (AP) — Ten thousand first assistants to Santa Claus have knocked off work for the year after cutting more than 30 000 000 board feet of lumber into the curious shapes demanded by the rulers of Toyland There are nearly 400 establishments in the United States taking orders from Santa Claus One manufacturer of toys in New York state uses 2 000 000 feet of lumber every year and the total value of the products of the industry in all parts of the United States reaches $75 000 000

TREMENDOUS TOTAL

That takes a tremendous number of trees the American Tree Association points out in a bulletin calling attention to argument for reforestation

There commercial Santa Clauses the toy makers, ply their trade largely in the east New England New York Pennsylvania and Michigan are the states in which the bulk of the industry is located As forest resources have been gradually used up in the east, however, the manufacturers have had to depend upon timber brought from the west and the south

## BANDITS BUSY IN PARIS, ILLINOIS

Paris Ill Dec 8—Three robberies were staged here late Saturday night when the Cummings and Mason grocery stores and a filling station were entered by unmasked bandits and the day's receipts taken.

BOTH JUDGES

[illegible] in two judges in the Atlanta circuit of Miami Ill. Judge H F Atkinson presides over the circuit court His wife (above) has just been elected to the juvenile court

# WARREN J. LINCOLN ON TRIAL TUESDAY

## Slayer to Enter Insanity Plea.

Geneva Ill Dec 8—Trial of Warren J Lincoln for the murder of his wife Lina and her brother, Byron Shoup is set for tomorrow in the Kane county circuit court but there are reports in circulation today that counsel for defense and the prosecution would ask a continuance until the next term of court which opens Jan 8

It was said the lawyers wanted more time to get data as to the Lincoln family history but they would not reveal whether this would be the grounds for their continuance plea or whether or not they would ask the delay

INSANITY DEFENSE

Insanity is to be the defense of the lawyer-florist who after slaying his wife and her brother cut off their heads and sealed them in blocks of cement which he later used as supports of a porch where he slept A jury which passed upon his present mental condition found Lincoln sane but his counsel was not permitted at that hearing to go into the nature of the crime he committed or his family history

In jail today Lincoln said he expected to be a free man by Christmas day He expressed a longing for an opportunity to again get among the flowers he loves particularly the sweet peas and the beautiful gladiolas which he nurtured and which won him more than a local reputation

# SEE LITTLE CHANCE OF TAX SLICE

## Present Session of Congress Will Hardly Act.

By MARK SULLIVAN.

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Washington, D C Dec 8—It is almost beyond possibility and it is certainly beyond probability, for the federal taxes to be further reduced by this present short session of congress Within a few days it will be realized how really short this session is There will be a recess for the holidays and when people looking forward begin to count up they will find that the number of actual working weeks and working days between now and March 4 is very short

Within that time upward of twelve appropriation bills must be passed It is a fact that these appropriation bills are coming through this year faster than ever before

START IN HOUSE

Appropriation bills under the constitution must originate in the lower house and the lower house under the leadership of Mr Longworth together with the appropriations committee of the lower house under the leadership of Mr Madden are in a working mood

Mr Longworth particularly seems to have a state of mind in which he makes it a point of pride to show how energetically the lower house can function He is helped in this by the fact that the adoption of the budget system by which the budget is prepared in advance makes debate on appropriation bills less called for and less likely than was the case in previous years Nevertheless let the lower house work as rapidly as it can it still remains true that upward of twelve appropriation bills compose a large order for the Senate as it is organized and as it functions to get through with before March 4

NO TAX REDUCTION

It would be safer to guess that not all these appropriation bills will be passed than to guess that any important legislation additional to the appropriation bills will be passed If any legislation additional to the appropriation bills should be passed it is not likely to be in the field of tax reduction If there is time for anything in addition to the money bills right of way will be given probably, to some form of agricultural relief bills Because the prices of corn and wheat have gone up it has been taken for granted in the east that there is no further pressing need for agricultural relief

The fact is however that one branch of farming in the west namely stock raising is still in the same condition in which wheat was less than a year ago President Coolidge in seeking lately for individuals to add to the personnel of various boards in Washington having to do with agriculture has sought to get men familiar with the live stock industry because he realizes that in this field there is still trouble

If this session has any time for new legislation it will take up a farm relief measure before it will take up either the world court or

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# GIBSON CITY YOUTH KILLED IN CHICAGO

Chicago Dec 8—The body of John Talvey young student of Gibson city Ill was found near the tracks of the New York Central railroad at Archer avenue Sunday Marks found on his body led the police to believe that he had not been struck by a train but had been either slugged or struck by an automobile In the latter case the police theorized the motorist might have dragged the body to the tracks and left it there to escape detection

Physicians said they did not believe a contusion of the student's forehead was caused by being struck by a train

# Orville Wright, Father Of Aviation, Inventor of Toy

By BERNARD J. LOSH.

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DAYTON, Ohio, Dec. 8.—Orville Wright, father of aviation and inventor of the aeroplane, has turned his thoughts toward gladdening the childish hearts of the world He has invented a scientific toy.

Last year there appeared on the toy markets a mechanical toy called Flips and Flops A little wooden clown with hooked arms is placed on a spring board and when the board is released the clown flies through the air makes a complete loop seizes a trapeze, and whirls around a while There were many imitations of this toy but none would work as successfully as the original.

ASKS FOR PATENT

Just why one comparatively small contraption should function according to schedule and others fail was made known the other day when Orville Wright master of the science of flight applied for a patent on the the toy that worked

Hundreds of thousands have been produced at a factory conducted by Mr Wright's brothers and thousands of childish hearts will be gladdened this Christmas with the plaything created by the mind that gave birth to the first aeroplane

For years Orville Wright's brothers have conducted a small factory where toys were manufactured on orders from jobbers But business was not what the owners desired

TO KEEP PLANT BUSY

One day, in the presence of Orville Wright the matter of inventing a toy strictly their own, that would keep their plant busy, was discussed by the brothers

Orville said nothing but later at his workshop, he gave the problem some thought and shortly after startled the family with "Flips and Flops"

Not only did Orville Wright produce the toy but he designed and made the machinery to build it including one machine that reduced the cost of making the two little bent wire arms by half.

# WANTS COMMISSION TO CONSERVE OIL

## Secretary Work Files Interior Report.

Washington, Dec 8—Creation of a permanent federal oil commission with a view to conservation, congressional action on the new reclamation program improvements in the administration of the country's island possessions, and legislation to increase the internal efficiency of the Interior Department were recommended by Secretary Work today in his annual report

The secretary did not discuss the oil situation at length but he declared formation of a commission of cabinet members to deal with it was an urgent necessity

ON RECLAMATION

He likewise touched but briefly on the new reclamation program which was worked out by a special commission but which failed of congressional approval at the last session Enactment of the legislation contemplated in the program he said was one of the tasks with which the present session should deal promptly

He suggested that within the Interior Department itself there was need for a new bureau of public works in which all construction and engineering work performed by the government could be centered He also advocated the concentration into one department and under one member of the cabinet of the territorial affairs of Alaska and Hawaii

GENERAL OVERHAULING

The report contained a hint that a general overhauling of the public land laws may be recommended later to congress Secretary Work said a special committee was engaged in a study of these statutes and added

It is probably that growth of the country and changed conditions will warrant some radical departures from established custom [illegible] The question arises whether the government should continue the present method of disposing of its public domain The present law covering the acquisition of timber and stone lands on the public domain passed in 1878 should be revised to better protect our vanishing timber in the public interest

PRAISE CHANGES

The result of the recent reorganization of the pension bureau which clipped $266 000 from the annual payroll and enabled the bureau to return $56 000 of its appropriation to the treasury were praised by the secretary as constituting a measure both of economy and efficiency Better results had been brought about he said, despite the fact that 328 positions in the bureau were eliminated by the reorganization program

# KID M'COY FACES TRIAL FOR MURDER

Los Angeles Dec 8—Fight fans who crowded a Los Angeles arena 20 years ago to see Kid McCoy in his last big Pacific coast ring appearance today had the opportunity those of them who were still in the city in seeing the Kid led forth from his corner in the county jail for the greatest battle of his career—his trial on a charge of murdering Mrs Theresa Mors in their apartment here last August 13

McCoy expressed confidence in his ability to side step the knock out punch of a verdict of guilty

They can't turn a suicide into a murder he declared as he waited for his case to be called

McCOY'S STORY

McCoy has maintained since the day of his arrest that Mrs Mors divorced wife of Albert A Mors, antique dealer committed suicide in his presence despite his efforts to prevent her In despair and rage over her act, he said, he armed himself and went out to find and kill Mors whom he blamed for the tragedy Failing to find his man he shot and wounded two men and a woman in and near the Mors antique shop

McCoy's sister however, Mrs Jennie Thomas told the grand jury which indicted him that her brother came to her the night of the shooting gave her jewelry afterward identified as having been the property of Mrs Mors and confessed I'm afraid I killed that woman

THE DEFENSE'S ACT

Over against the testimony of Mrs Thomas the defense is expected to lay great stress on the story told police by Mrs Iva Martin occupant of an apartment beneath that in which Mrs Mors died

Mrs Martin said she heard the woman pleading for mercy heard a shot and the footsteps of a man fleeing from the place and then saw this man a short thick-set man entirely unlike McCoy Confronted by Mors she at first was non-commital, but later insisted that he was the short thick-set man of her story

Aside from Mrs Martin's story and McCoy's suicide version of the killing the defense has an alienist's report to the effect that the former fighter is prey to an incurable brain disease which has already affected his mentality

## FORMER OWNER OF N. Y. PAPER DIES

New York Dec 8 — William C Reick former owner of the New York Sun Evening Sun and the Journal of Commerce, died.

# COLD WAVE SWEEPS WEST

Sioux City Ia Dec 8—This section of western Iowa northeast Nebraska and western South Dakota again was in the grip of a heavy snow storm which started early Sunday morning and continued throughout the day and Sunday night It was being driven by a stiff northeast wind and was piling badly The temperature was slightly below the freezing point Coming on top of the 10 inch which fell Thursday [illegible] traffic O'Neill Neb [illegible] inch fall of snow

IN NEBRASKA

Omaha Neb Dec 8—Nebraska was visited by its second snow in four days Sunday Scattered reports from over the state indicated that from four to [illegible] fell under condition which again [illegible] in some localities

Railroad telegraph and telephone companies however [illegible] the storm did not impede their operation

# SAILOR IS VICTIM AS TENDER BURNS

## Water Taxi Explodes At San Pedro.

San Pedro Cal Dec 8—One navy sailor is dead and [illegible] two civilians seriously burned as a result of the burning and sinking of a private water taxi the Lt Moyer in the harbor early today There were 10 men on board the craft when it caught fire in mid channel

An explosion or back fire caused the disaster and the survivors were picked out of the water by the craft

The civilians burned who operated the craft were George Sands and Melvin Sprague of San Pedro Arrangements were made to transfer them to a hospital here

## CONAN DOYLE SEES END OF DARK AGES

London Dec 8— We are on the edge of a veritable fundamental which will change the views of the world so radically it will mark a new epoch in human history to be regarded by our descendants as the end of the dark age' declares Sir Conan Doyle in a newspaper article on spiritualism Sunday Science religion, and the whole process of mortal life will be profoundly modified by the new revelation Spiritualism is growing but the growth now is nothing compared with what is coming

# C. AND A. TO TAKE UP WAGE DISPUTE

## Will Handle Case with Own Men.

Chicago Dec 8 — Negotiations are expected to be resumed this week between representatives of engine service Brotherhoods and the Chicago and Alton railway A P Titus general manager of the road said today

Some of this representatives were expected to see Mr Titus to get about the resumption of the negotiations over wages and rules

The Chicago and Alton was not a party to the controversy which the western general managers submitted to the United States railroad labor board

# U. S. VICE CONSUL DIES OF WOUNDS

Washington Dec 8—The death of Vice Consul Henry A Dayton shot several days ago in Belgrade was reported today to the state department

## 2,462 ARE SAVED BY COAST GUARD

Washington D C Dec 8—Despite the increasing duties loaded on the United States coast guard through new legislation it was able in the last fiscal year to establish a record in the work for which it was originally created—the protection of life and property on the high seas and prevention of smuggling

The annual report made public Sunday night discloses that in the twelve months ending last July 1 men from coast guard boats and stations rescued 2 462 persons from positions of peril and boarded and examined the papers of 46 142 ships 14 499 more than ever inspected in any one year before

## KLAN PAPER IS RUINED BY BLAST

Coffeyville Kan Dec 8—The plant of the Daily Dawn a morning newspaper was wrecked by an explosion early today with a loss estimated at $75,000. The paper established last spring was the property of local men of Ku Klux klan affiliations.

# SAYS U. S. HAS ONLY 5 GOOD MEN OF WAR

## Remainder of 18 Battleships Are Worn Out.

[illegible]

SCRAP BATTLESHIPS

[illegible]

# GRAIN PRICES SET RECORDS

## Both Wheat and Corn Reach New Figures.

[illegible]

## PIONEER WHO KNEW LINCOLN EXPIRES

John [illegible] Dies at Home at Age of Eighty-six

[illegible]

## BURY MRS. PORTER ON COAST THURSDAY

Los Angeles Dec 8—[illegible] will be held in Los Angeles Thursday

## NICARAGUA WILL INVADE HONDURAS

Managua Nicaragua Dec 8—General Julio Peralta with five hundred troops [illegible] frontier preparing to invade the state of Honduras from Nicaragua according to reports received here

# The Weather

Chicago Dec 8 Weather indications for Illinois Unsettled tonight, rain in extreme north portion turning to snow flurries, Tuesday probably fair; much colder tonight and Tuesday

FOREST OBSERVATIONS

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| Sun sets | [illegible] |

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# COLEY FUNERAL IN TUSCOLA MONDAY

## Aged Resident Dies After Long Illness.

Tuscola, Dec. 8—Mrs. George Coley died at her home in Tuscola Friday night after an affliction of several months with dropsical trouble. She was about seventy years old, and leaves her husband and four children. There are two daughters and two sons. The daughters are Mrs. Eva Rider of Pocatello, Idaho, and Mrs. Lizzie Overman of Detroit, Mich. The sons are Harry Coley of Detroit, and George, Jr., who lives in New Jersey. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with Rev. P. W Walthall of the South Side Christian church in charge. The body was prepared for burial in the Tuscola cemetery, by the local undertaking firm of Hanna and Taylor.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS.

The Saturday afternoon, general meeting of the Tuscola Woman's club was a very interesting one. The program was furnished by the music department of the club and consisted of "Nationalities in Music, In Costume." Besides the usual business program for the general meetings, the musical program included, "America," sung by those representing the different nations and the assembly.

Italian, piano duet, "Il Trovatore"—Mrs. Maude Cummins and Miss Lucy Mae Stickles.

Sextette voice, "Lucia de Lammermoore"—Mesdames Sylvia Callaway, Lena Helm Beatrice Fuller, Irene Whitlock, Frances Campbell and Mae Campbell.

France voice, "Perceuse from Jocelyn"—Mrs. Faye Goodman and Miss Irene Schujahr.

Voice, "My heart at Thy Sweet Voice"—Mrs Beatrice Fuller.

Ireland voice, 'My Irish Song of Songs"—Mrs. Nora McNeill.

Scotland voice, "Bonnie Sweet Bess"—Mrs. Clara Davis

Spain, piano, 'Spanish Dance'—Miss Gladys Rasor

Germany and Bohemia, voice, "The Lotus Flower" and 'Songs My Mother Taught Me"—Miss Marjorie Deatherridge.

Piano, "Schubert's Serenade"—Mrs. Maude Cummins.

Scandanavia, voice, "Solveigs Song"—Mrs Lena Helm

Hungary, piano, 'II Hungarian Rhapsody"—Mrs. Zae Wamsley.

American, colonial, 'Minuet"—Miss Irene Schujahn and Miss Ferris Morgan

American Indian, voice' "From the Land of the Sky Blue Waters"—Mrs. Irene Whitlock

Vocal trio, 'To a Wild Rose'—Mesdames Sylvia Callaway, Irene Whitlock and Mae Campbell.

Columbia "Star Spangled Banner"—Mrs. Clara Thornsbrue.

The club rooms were decorated in Christmas flowers and American flags.

NOTES.

Miss Gene Spears of Chicago who is a student at the University of Illinois, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Taylor in this city.

C. A. Burks of Decatur was a Saturday business visitor in Tuscola.

J. E. Allison of the First National bank of Arcola was here Saturday

The W. C. T. U of the city will meet Friday afternoon, Dec. 12, at the home of Mrs. Riley Johnson. The Misses Ella and Lyda Hunt will be assistant hostesses, and Miss Ella Hunt will be the leader of the lesson study. A social hour, follows the regular meeting, which will be in the nature of a party for Miss Avis Murphey, an honorary member who is to be married Dec. 18.

IN THE CHURCHES.

So far as could be learned there were the usual Sunday services at all of the Tuscola churches, and very little in the way of special announcements for this week. At the Presbyterian church, there will be no midweek meeting on account of the fact that the pastor, Rev. Horace Batchelor expects to attend a national conference at Presbyterians in Chicago this week.

At the Methodist church, in addition to the usual program for the week, the Ladies' Aid will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2.30. The evangelistic campaign under the management of Dr. DeBra of Gary, Ind., will continue through the week. The work consists of personal calls made by organized workers. The regular monthly meeting of the official board which should have been held on Monday evening, has been postponed until Sunday evening, Dec. 14, following the preaching service No announcements for services outside the regular programs were obtainable from the other churches of the city.

FEW FARM SALES.

There is a conspicuous absence of the number of farm sales this year in this vicinity that have been advertised at this season for several years past. For the last three or four years, beginning early in December, there have been public sales of farm equipment and live stock advertised for the surrounding country for nearly every day until well after the first of the new year, and these have some times continued until near the first of March. Very few sales have been advertised yet for this winter, and very few have been planned, so far as is known. The better prices for farm products that have prevailed during the last season are probably responsible for the change.

## Sweater Scorched By Bolt, Hillsboro Man Injured Only Slightly

Litchfield, Dec. 8.—Knocked down and his sweater scorched by a bolt of lightning Sunday evening, Harold Morain, 19, son of Algy Morain, will live. Although he suffered somewhat from the shock, his condition was not considered serious.

Morain had started walking to the residence of Walter Clotfelter, a friend, when struck down. He called for help and was carried into the Clotfelter house, where he was given first aid treatment.

## ARTHUR PARENTS, TEACHERS MEET

Arthur, Dec. 8.—The Parent-Teacher association met Friday afternoon at the grade school. The program was:

A Group of Christmas Songs—Leola Bradford.

At Home With Santa Claus—Play, fourth grade.

Christmas Carols—Glee club.

Paper—Mrs Berry.

Piano Duet—Misses Marie Jensen and Margaret Knobloch.

Paper—Mrs. Chase.

The fourth grade won the picture for having the largest per cent of attendance.

Coach and Mrs. Syler of the local high school gave a delightful four course 6 o'clock dinner complimentary to the football squad of 1924, and the men of the faculty Thursday evening in the dining room of the Methodist church. Supt Walker presided as toastmaster and several cleverly arranged toasts were given by the boys.

**Cost of Superfluity.**

Plutarch: Nothing is cheap which is superfluous, for what one does not need is dear at a penny.

# CIRCUIT COURT IN SHELBY CO. OPENS

## Criminal Docket to Be Taken Up Tuesday.

Shelbyville, Dec. 8—Circuit court was in session Saturday morning, being convened by Judge Dove. A number of orders were taken and some cases set for trial when Judge Wright returns the first of the week. The criminal docket will be taken up Tuesday.

ROOT PICTURE FOR SCHOOLS.

The Parent-Teachers' association, together with the pupils of Main street grade school, are planning to purchase a picture entitled "Seing Things," for hanging in the new grade school building which is being planned.

Robert Marshall Root, nationally known Shelbyville artist, has portrayed a group of small boys at night gathered around a campfire, attentively listening and watching for ghosts. Mr. Root painted the picture some time ago, using as models several young boys of this city.

The picture is very attractive, and Mrs. Paul Shoestridge, who conducted classes in this city last year, wished to put it in her gallery at St. Louis, priced at $300. However, Mr. Root prefers to have it remain here and has offered to place it in the school here for $100.

It is planned to hang the picture in the auditorium or a room of the Shelbyville high school until such a time as a new building is completed and ready for hanging the picture.

MEN'S CLASS BANQUET.

The Men's Bible class of the First Methodist church will hold a banquet in the dining room of the church next Tuesday evening, Dec. 9, at 7 o'clock. All Methodist men and friends are invited. The banquet will be served by the Ladies' Aid society of the church, of which Mrs. Leslie Tallman is the president

Dr. Chesteen Smith of Decatur, a noted minister and lecturer, will be the principal after-dinner speaker, and his address probably will deal with European relations and affairs. The Methodist male quartet will sing, and there will be a speech by E N. Herron, as well as by several other men and boys.

REBUILDING OLD MILL.

E. Miller has a large force of workmen employed rebuilding the first story of the old mill building which was burned during the latter part of October, with a loss estimated at near $25,000. The entire interior of the building was destroyed but parts of the walls were in good shape, so the upper parts were torn away and the walls around the first story were left standing. When the work of rebuilding the first story is completed, Mr. Miller will again engage in the poultry and junk business.

# PIATT CO. M. R. A. ELECTS OFFICERS

## J. S. Mackey Is Made President.

Monticello, Dec. 8—The Piatt County Mutual Relief association elected the following officers at the seventh annual meeting held recently: President, J. S. Mackey; vice president, W A. Woss; secretary, W. L. Plankenhorn; treasurer, H. C. Shaw; medical examiner, Dr. A. D. Furry.

The board of directors is composed of R. R. Lane, W. W. Body, C. H Doss, D. W. Culp, E. E. Garrett, Frank McLaughlin and Andrew Swenson. C. E. Garrett was selected again as field manager.

Misses Lora Weddle, Marjory Stallcup and Myrtle Ritchee spent the week-end in Champaign.

Mrs. Endora Gibson and daughter, Eleanor, Mrs. Laura Kratz, Miss Alice Morse, Elva Clodfelter, Rex Johnson, Max Johnson, Carlyle Richards and Wayne Duvall were Champaign callers Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morris spent the week-end in Champaign the guests of friends.

Mrs. Doc Plunk of Mansfield spent the week-end here, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Betty Tinsman and family.

Harold Hiser of Decatur was a caller here Sunday.

At the meeting of the Woman's club Wednesday, Dec. 10, Rev. G. W Flagge will talk on "What Can Our Country do to Bring About World Peace," and the discussion of the "Short Comings of Our Educational System" will be lead by Supt. G. A Sutton. A good attendance is desired

Mr. and Mrs Harry D. Chapman and son, Gordon, of Champaign spent Sunday here the guests of Mrs. Betty Tinsman and family

Misses Bertha Davis and Gynith Eaton of Decatur spent Sunday here the guests of the laters grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N Bartley.

Claude Morris, who is traveling with an ochestra, spent the week-end here with relatives.

Robert G. Collyer, who is working in Decatur spent Sunday here the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Collyer.

## HAMMOND GUESTS RETURN TO HOME

Hammond, Dec. 8—Mrs. Ida Tope and grandson, Bryce Hensley, who have spent the last three months in Hammond at the home of Miss Lillie Brown, returned to their home in Decatur Friday. They were accompanied by Miss Lillie who will spend the winter in Decatur with her sister, Mrs. Tope and son, Bernice Tope and family.

Mrs. Elmer Leavitt is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stalh in Clinton this week.

A large number of articles that will be on sale in the basement of the Methodist church Thursday, Dec. 11, will make useful Christmas presents. Among them are fancy work and a nice line of children's wearing apparel of good quality and make, also bed quilts and comforts for sale at reasonable prices. Dinner and supper will be served.

Dr. J. H McNutt was a Decatur business visitor monday.

Dr. Lynn Barnes of Decatur was a professional caller here Thursday.

## LIGHT OPERA BY BEMENT SCHOOL

Bement, Dec 8—The High School Glee clubs will present "Love Pirates of Hawaii," a light opera, in the auditorium next Thursday evening, Dec. 11. The cast:

Dorothy Dear (daughter of plantation manager)—Frances Rose.

Miss Primer (teacher of girls' private school)—Mildred Catlin.

Billy Wood (lieutenant U. S. Cruiser Tennessee)—Brown Byerline.

Pirate Chief (heartless pirate, maybe)—Raymond Sanders.

Chorus of Hawaiian girls.

Chorus of Pirates.

Mrs. George Lash visited friends in Stewardson last week

Miss Margaret Hartman is at home after a month's visit to her brother Frank Barth in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. J F Sprague have received word of the birth of a daughter, Nov. 30, to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stevenson of Porterville, Cal. She has been named Barbara Lee. Mrs. Stevenson is a niece of Mr. Sprague and is a graduate of the township high school

## Kansas City Doctor Invents New Truss

### New Discovery Heals Rupture Without An Operation.

A new discovery which, experts agree, has no equal for curative effects in all rupture cases, is the latest accomplishment of the well-known Hernia Specialist, Dr. Andrews, 3188 Rock Bldg., Kansas City, Mo. The extraordinary success of this new method proves that it holds and heals a rupture. It weighs only a few ounces. Has no hard gouging pads, no elastic belt, no leg straps, no steel bands, and is as comfortable as a light garment. It has enabled hundreds of persons to throw away trusses and declare their rupture absolutely healed. Many of these had serious double ruptures, from which they had suffered for years. It is Dr. Andrews' ambition to have every ruptured person enjoy the quick relief, comfort and healing power of his discovery, and he will send it on free trial to any reader of The Review who writes him. He wants one person in each neighborhood to whom he can refer. If you wish to be rid of rupture for good, without an operation, take advantage of the doctor's free offer. Write him today. The coupon below is convenient.

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| F | 11:50 a.m. | F | 5:50 p.m. |
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| F | 10:00 a.m | Loc | 5:15 p.m |
| Loc | 11:05 a.m. | F | 7:00 p.m |
| F | 1:00 p.m. | Loc | 8:00 p.m |
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NORTH-BOUND

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| F | 7:00 a.m | F | 5:00 p.m. |
| Loc | 9:00 a.m | B—Loc | 6:10 p.m |
| F | 11:00 a.m | Loc | 7:20 p.m |
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# Gifts Costing $1.00 and Less

## 50 Handsome Mirrors, $1.00 Each

*This is a special mirror and will make an ideal Christmas Gift. Size 11x20 inches. The glass is of fine quality—and the frames are blue and gold polychrome—Ideal for any room in the house.*

MAIN FLOOR

### Gift Novelties

From these suggestions you can make selections at a very moderate cost. All these are useful and appreciated gifts:

**Pin Cushions**
In rose, blue and pink. Trimmed with pretty lace and flowers ..... $1.00

**Decorated Candles**
Decorated with silver. These are very beautiful and will make an ideal gift—all colors, including silver. In gift box ..... 89c

**Beautiful Vases**
Hand decorated Japanese vases—tangerine color .... $1.00

**Powder Boxes**
Pretty china containers in shapes of colonial ladies. A gift that is certain to be different.. $1.00

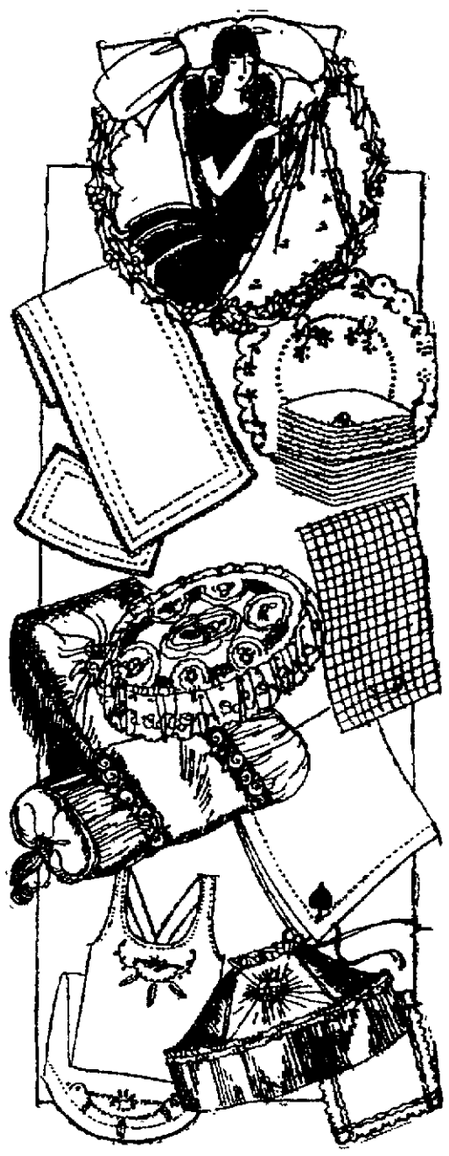
**Shoe Trees**
Clever hand painted gifts that will please the most "fastidious" ..... 75c

**Candle Sticks**
Mahogany candle sticks, 10 inch size, pair .... ..... 95c

**Jardinieres**
In blue or green lustre. You will like these for gifts ..... 95c

**Potato Slicers**
French fried potato slicers in a neat gift box ..... $1.00

**Salt and Pepper Sets**
Salt and pepper sets in blue and gold lustre ware made in shape of tomato. Each 59c.



**Cookie Cutters**
4 in a neat little gift box—this will be an appreciated gift. Set. ..... $1.00

Main Floor

### Art Needlework

Give useful gifts to be made this year for the receiver of stamped goods can spend many leisure moments making these.

**Tea Towels**
These towels are stamped for outline embroidery on white with red and blue borders, hemmed ends. 4 for ..... $1.00

**Daytime Frocks**
These dresses are stamped on blue, buff and lavender fast color beach cloth for embroidery of French knots, lazy daisy and running stitches ..... $1.00

**Tea Aprons**
Stamped for simple stitch embroidery, all made up with hemstitched edge for crocheting. Lawn with colored applique of blue and buff ..... 89c

**Pretty Gowns**
These dainty gowns are all made up of good quality nainsook and stamped for simple embroidery. Each ..... $1.00

**Pillow Cases**
Are stamped on good quality 42 inch tubing in good designs for embroidery and scallops, pr. $1.00

**Breakfast Sets**
This 9 piece set consists of one oblong 18x22 and 4 plate oblongs 12x17 and 4 napkins on Indianhead, for cross stitch, set ..... 99c

**Bath Towels**
Bath Towels stamped on figured bath toweling with colored border and stripes, 90c and ..... 95c

Main Floor

**Luncheon Cloths**
36 inch cloths, stamped on white Indian Head for French knot and lazy daisy stitches, each ..... 79c

**Framed Pictures 99c**
Landscapes and old master subjects—a gift for the home that most any one will like and enjoy.

**Wicker Scrap Baskets 98c**
12 inches high—done in rose, blue, gold, green and ivory. This will be a convenience in the den, boudoir or sewing room.

**WickerFlower Baskets $1.00**
Finished in tints of ivory, rose and blue. A gift that will be appreciated.

**Framed Mottoes 59c to 95c**
A dainty gift that all will appreciate. Mottoes for the home, for mother, for friend.

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# I. T. S. TRAINMEN DENY SHORT NOTICE

## Started Conferences on Nov. 24.

## STRIKE VOTE DEC. 5

## Officials Had 32½ Hours Notice.

"Fearing that some wrong impressions were given in the first reports of the I. T. S. trainmen's strike Sunday morning and desiring to reply to the statement of the officials that "the burden of the strike was now on the men to show they had given but six hours notice," a committee of the Decatur trainmen presented the following statement to The Review Sunday for publication:

"In the first place, let us state" says the committee "that our pay schedule is as follows: 50 cents an hour for brakemen, 60 cents an hour for the first year for newly promoted conductors or motormen; after one year's service, 62½ cents an hour in passenger service for motormen and conductors, 65 cents an hour in freight for motormen and conductors.

STARTED NOV. 24.

"On Monday, Nov. 24, we first met the company officials. We were called in by the officials of the company for this meeting, knowing that our schedule with them expired Dec. 1. At this meeting, we presented the company a proposed contract calling for better working conditions and ten cents per hour flat increase. Mr. Handshy, general manager of the company, rejected our proposal.

"We then asked him to offer us some form of contract, something to take back to our men for discussion and something to start working from—even to offer us the old working conditions with a cut in pay—if that was what he had in mind. While the men would not expect to accept this in whole, still it would give us something to work from. Mr. Handshy even refused this. He kept insisting that our committee should have authority in itself to sign contracts with the company. We have found from previous experience that when the committee has this power, the officials make these controversies personal matters with the committeemen. He himself would not have the authority to sign a contract with us without first taking it back to the officials he represents in these meetings.

REFUSED CONTRACT.

"We met him several times after that until Dec. 3. Each time he refused our suggestion that he make some form of offer. On Dec. 3, one of our international officers from the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employes of America, met with us and Mr. Handshy. Again the company refused to submit any form of proposal. Our international officer then advised a strike vote.

"We then submitted printed ballots to the membership, the question printed thereon being "Are you willing, to the extent of quitting work, to uphold the demands of a new contract with increased pay and better working conditions?"

VOTED STRIKE.

"The vote on this resulted as follows: Yes, 267—No, 18. That vote was taken on Thursday, Dec. 4. Our committee met in Springfield again on Friday and counted the votes. We then sent a letter to the company giving them the result of the vote and telling Mr. Handshy where we would be if the company had any proposition to offer. We also notified him of the time set for a strike and offered to meet him at any time before that if he had any proposition to offer. They answered by asking us to meet them at 10 o'clock Saturday morning in their office.

THREE PROPOSITIONS.

They then submitted to us three propositions in writing as follows:

"'A.—We propose that your committee be given authority to negotiate a new agreement and pending such negotiations, an agreement be made continuing the last contract (except for wages) until a new agreement is made. The wages finally agreed upon to be retroactive to Dec. 1, 1924. If it is thought advisable, there can be a time limit of thirty or sixty days set for these negotiations. Pending final agreement, the present wage schedules would be paid and adjustment made the first pay day after signing the new contract.

"'B—Our company, as explained to your committee, has the urgent need for reduced expenses and it believes a new contract should carry with it, lower costs, either by lowering wage schedules or by the elimination of unnecessary manhours, such as can be secured by the introduction of more one-man car operation. Your committee thinks that times are going to improve and that the company's earnings will respond to improved conditions. We do not agree with them that the need for lower operating costs will quickly disappear, but are willing to go along with their views so far as to agree to the renewal of the recently expired contract for a three or possibly six months period, during which time the trend of the times may be studied.

"'C—We believe that our position is a fair one toward our trainmen and that an honest examination of all the facts pertinent to the case will prove it. For that reason, we propose that your committee and our company enter into an agreement submitting the entire proposition to arbitration as arranged for in section one of our last contract.

FOURTH OFFER.

"After getting into session Saturday morning, Mr. Handshy then made us a fourth offer, a verbal one, namely to renew our old contract for one year. We told him that if he would offer a closed shop and time and one-half pay for overtime work along with his verbal proposition, we would take it back to the men to be voted on. This he refused to do.

"Overtime pay asked for by us is for time and one-half for all over nine hours in passenger service and all over ten hours in freight.

"Three from our general committee then went back a second time on their own initiative and asked them to accept our latest proposition and again this was refused by the company. We then returned to the hotel and wrote a note to the officials stating that we would be in conference until 10 o'clock Saturday night in the Collins house. We sent this note by messenger.

COMMITTEE CALLS.

"A committee of three Springfield business men then came to us and offered their assistance in affecting some settlement. We told them of two things we were insisting on—the closed shop and time and one-half for overtime work. They asked us to delay action for a time until they could go and see the company officials. It was then close to 10 o'clock.

"At 10:30 the businessmen's committee returned with a letter from the officials. It offered us none of the things we asked for but simply asked us to put off any further action until Monday. This was a move on the part of thhe company to try to get the committee of the men to carry the matter past the hour of strike voted for by the men. We then remained there until 12 o'clock midnight Saturday night so as to leave no room for doubt or claim that they had not had proper opportunity to communicate with us.

NOT SIX HOUR NOTICE.

"As to the statement of Mr. Snyder that the burden of the strike was now on the men for only giving six hours notice, we beg to quote to you, a paragraph from their own signed statement sent to us, which reads as follows: "We received your committee's longhand letter of Dec. 5, attaching copy of strike vote ballot, at three thirty o'clock and promptly acknowledged receipt of the same."

"Receiving this notice at 3:30 o'clock Dec. 5 means that they had thirty-two and one-half hours notice before the hour set for the strike."

## I. T. S. OFFICIALS REVIEW STRIKE CONTROVERSY

A long printed document sent out by officials of the traction company to newspapers Monday morning presents the company's version of the trainmen's strike and the negotiations leading up to it. As it is quite a lengthy article, only portions of it may be given.

In opening, the company states that it regrets the "hasty action" by a committee representing the men and that the company and public has been unfairly dealt with in that "an honest effort to place information concerning the matters at issue before the rank and file of the employes has apparently not been made by the committee representing them: and second, that but six hours' notice of decision to strike was given the company."

WILLING TO SETTLE.

"During these negotiations," says the letter "this company has repeatedly indicated that it was willing and anxious to arrive at a satisfactory agreement but insisted that the committee of five representing the men be given authority to negotiate and further that this committee should advise the employes as to the actual situation before securing a vote from them. In the letter from the committee under date of Dec. 5, it would seem that the employes had voted in favor of ceasing work.

"We call your attention to the fact that this vote was taken before this company had opportunity to submit three alternative propositions set up in our letter under date of Dec. 6. Upon receiving these three propositions, the committee representing the men gave notice that it was useless to further consider the matter and without informing the employes of the company's three propositions, gave a six hour strike warning and ordered all trainmen from their posts at midnight.'

GIVES LETTERS.

The communication from the company then gives the various letters that passed between the men and the officials, beginning with date of Dec. 4 and continuing up until the meeting with the business men Saturday night, Dec. 6.

In this at several places is stressed the company's objections to the limited authority of the committee representing the trainmen and to the fact that the committee could not in itself negotiate an agreement but could only bring back to the men any proposals made by the company.

In one of these communications, Vice President Snyder of the company recalled that in 1923 when a wave of prosperity was on the country, the wages of the men were increased prior to the expiration of the agreement and in 1924, when expected good times of 1923 did not materialize, this increased wage had proven a burden to the company payroll.

FACTORS CONSIDERED.

"In arriving at a just wage," says the communication, "certain factors are to be considered and it will do no harm to briefly review them in this letter.

"First, do the wages attract and retain help? We have no difficulty to secure men. Most of our men have been with us many years and if one is dismissed, usually a strenuous effort is made for his reinstatement.

"Secondly, is the wage comparable with other occupations? Statistics show that the average monthly earnings of our trainmen are materially greater than those of skilled occupations. Comparison shows that our wages are much higher than the average interurban roads."

In the letter to Mr. Snyder on

In the letter from Mr Snyder on Dec. 6, which is the same letter for which the I. T. S. trainmen quote three propositions finally offered by the company, Mr. Snyder states that Mr. Handshy's unwillingness to offer the men any sort of proposition prior to this time was due to the fact that the committee itself, did not have the power to negotiate, and therefor, it was practically impossible to arrive at an agreement.

## DEATHS.

MRS. JULIA A. MOODY.

Mrs. Julia A. Moody died at 4:35 o'clock Sunday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ethel Markman, 909 West Cushing street. She was seventy-eight years old last March. She suffered a stroke of paralysis two years ago and that finally resulted in her death, though she had been confined to her bed for only a week.

Mrs. Moody was born in Monroe county, O., March 16, 1846. With her husband, the late J. D. Moody, she moved to Illinois fifty-four years ago, settling near Macon. Three years ago she came to Decatur to live with her daughter. For thirty years she was a member of the United Brethren church at Dalton City. She is survived by three children, Mrs. Ethel Markham of Decatur, C. T. Moody of East St. Louis and C. W. Moody of Dalton City. She also leaves a sister, Mrs. Mary Hovis, and a brother, Aaron Forman, both living in Indiana.

The body was removed to the Monson undertaking establishment and prepared for burial.

MRS. NANCY L. SAILORS.

Mrs. Nancy L. Sailors, widow of Charles Sailors, died at 8:45 o'clock Sunday evening at her home, 735 North Bright street. She was seventy-three years old last February. She had been in failing health for two years.

Mrs. Sailor's maiden name was Nancy L. McDaniels. She was born Feb. 15, 1851. She came to Decatur in 1911, and her husband died here in 1914. She was a member of the Church of God on South Broadway.

She is survived by the following children: Oscar Sailors of Taylorville, George Sailors of Chicago, Mrs. Chal McClellen of Decatur, Mrs. Iva McCollum and Mrs. O. W. Rex, also of Decatur, and Mrs. L. B. Stilson of Tucson, Ariz. There are seventeen grand-children. She also leaves two sisters, Mrs. George Stoem of Ash Grove and Mrs. Jacob Hoyer of Stewardson.

The body was removed to the Erintlinger & Sons undertaking establishment and prepared for burial.

LYDIA W. DEARBORN.

Lydia W. Dearborn of St. Charles, Ill., died Sunday morning at the Decatur and Macon County hospital. She was about seventy-five years old. Mrs. Dearborn was visiting at the home of Mrs. I. P. Hall, 1658 North Union street, where she became ill about two weeks ago.

Miss Dearborn spent most of her life at St. Charles. She was a school teacher there for a number of years. She was a member of the Congregational church there and also of the Order of the Eastern Star She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Emily Shibley and Mrs. Edgar Marsden, both of St. Charles. The body was removed to the Dawson & Wikoff undertaking establishment and prepared for burial. The funeral will be held in St. Charles.

JOHN A. LUTZ.

John A. Lutz, one of the oldest dry-goods merchants in central Illinois, died Sunday noon at his home in Lincoln. He was eighty-six years old. He was an uncle of Mrs. D. P. Warren and R. F. Watt of Decatur.

For sixty years Mr. Lutz had been in the dry goods business in Lincoln and for over fifty years had occupied the same location. He is survived by his wife and four daughters, all living in Lincoln.

Decatur relatives will go to Lincoln to attend the funeral which will be held at the family residence at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

# Woman Fakes Hold Up Story to Get Money

Reported hold-ups are not always genuine. Some times men who have collected money for their employers and have spent it or held it out for the purpose of using it for themselves, report that they have been held up and robbed. Several cases of that kind have been discovered by the Decatur police. In one instance the man reporting himself held up had bound and gagged himself and was found in the back of the delivery wagon.

Some men who have been in the habit of turning their money over to their wives every pay day take a sudden notion that they want to use the money themselves, so they report to the police that they have been held up and when the wife reads about it in the papers she is convinced.

WOMAN'S STORY.

The latest fake hold-up was called to the attention of the police early Sunday morning. At 6:30 o'clock Sergeant Steve Wood received a call from Emory Sadler, taxi-driver, that a woman at the Illinois Central station had said that she had been held up. Sergeant Collins and Officer Gibbons went to the station and interviewed the young woman. She was nicely dressed and was a good looking woman of about thirty years.

She told the officers her name was Mattie Johnson and that her home was in Shelbyville. She said that she came to Decatur about two weeks ago and had been working for a family here, but she could not give the house number or the name of the street on which the family lived. She said that she had decided to go home Sunday morning and had spent the night at the Illinois hotel so as to be near the station, and that about 6 o'clock as she was going to the station a man stopped her on Front street street between Eldorado street and the station and demanded her money.

She said she had only about $8, and this she took out of her purse and gave the man. She could not give a description of him, but said that he had a handkerchief over his face and told her not to look at him.

She had already told her story to Officer Bob Pound, and the three officers and the taxi-drivers who happened to be at the station collected $1.75 among themselves and bought her a ticket to Shelbyville. Then Sergeant Collins, who had been trying to place her in his mind, asked her if he didn't see her on a street car Saturday. She finally admitted that she had been on an Eldorado car, and when asked how, if she was working she could be riding around on street cars in the day time. She finally broke down and confessed that her story had been untrue. She said that she had "gone broke" here and had made up the story thinking some one would take pity on her and get her a ticket home.

NEED NOT LIE.

"Don't ever try it again," said Officer Gibbons. "You don't have to lie in order to get assistance if you are in distress. If you had told us that you were out of money and wanted to get home we would have helped you just as freely as we did this morning. We have enough real hold-ups to investigate without wasting our time investigating fake stories. People read of reported robberies on the streets and think that the officers are not doing their duty."

Then her train came and the young woman went home a little wiser from her experience.

**Charges Assault.**

Leo Rubin, 481 Greenwood avenue, was arrested Sunday night on complaint of his wife, who charged him with assault. Justice Dickinson fined him $13.15.

# LEGION TO EAT RABBIT TONIGHT

## T. V. Harwood to Speak At Armory Meeting.

## HUNTERS OUT SUNDAY

## More Than 150 Turned in At End of Day.

Baked, fried, and stewed rabbit
Mashed potatoes
Gravy
Cranberry sauce
Assorted jellies Cold slaw
Home baked biscuits
Cherry pie Coffee
Shades of slum gullion and tinned gold-fish!!

Is this menu before my eyes? It is.

Above is a faithful forecast of the glorified chow to be served to the American Legion Monday night, at 6:30 o'clock, at the First Christian church. It will compensate for many an instance of "The Mess Sergeant's Revenge" by the road-side, in the field, or in the cantonments.

The Legion Auxiliary is in charge, and they guarantee the correct number of vitamines. Nourishing but dainty. Wholesome yet toothsome. When Decatur ex-doughboys and gobs sit down to this Sybaritic display they will all want to re-enlist right then and there. (Faint cries of protest.)

MUST BE MEMBER.

And it's free! To all Legionnaires who have paid their $3.50 dues for 1925. Those who haven't paid can do so at the door. It can be done in installments, too, just like the old Class D allotments.

There will be stunts galore. Music, and selections by the drum corps, and imported talent, from overseas. There will be no line-up for inspection, and no lights out.

HARWOOD TO SPEAK.

Following the dinner, there will be a big meeting at the Armory on East Main street, where Vice Commander Thomas V. Harwood of the Department of Illinois, from Bloomington, installed, and definite action will be installed, andd efinite action will be taken on the proposal of setting up Legion club rooms. It will be an interesting session. Many from the Clinton post will also be there.

On Sunday scores of Legionnaires took part in the rabbit hunt. In order to insure maximum safety for themselves and danger to the rabbits, the hunters scattered widely. They ranged from Shelbyville to Mt Pulaski, digging up the elusive bunnies from hedges, clover fields, and corn stalks. The day was better for ducks, and the wet ground came up in large clumps with each step but the sharpshooters stuck on the job, figuratively as well as literally.

150 RABBITS.

At the end of the day over 150 rabbits were turned in, or enough to give each of the 200 expected at the dinner a good portion. Farmers were more than cordial to the Legion boys, and in most cases the greeting was: "Sure you can hunt on my land: wait a minute 'til I get my gun and I'll go with you."

One squad, headed by Dr. C. L. Cassell and Commander Carl Meacham brought in twenty-five rabbits. Another detail floundered in the vicinity of Cerro Gordo with a net result of five. But all had more or less of a rabbit's foot and brought in some game.

## $100 IN KETTLES FOR FIRST DAY

**Salvation Army to Be Out Each Day for Contributions.**

The sum of $100 tinkled into the Salvation Army kettles during the business hours, Saturday, coming in nickels, dimes and quarters. This amount is considered very good by the Army, according to Captain Maude Snow, for the first day the kettles are out.

These coins dropped into the kettles while the public is about its own Christmas shopping, will be used to give a happy Christmas to many Decatur families whose day otherwise might be a cheerless one. They are used to provide a basket into which goes all that is necessary for a Christmas dinner as well as toys for the children.

Kettles will be on the street until Christmas day and the bells rung by hand will call attention to them that the public may not forget the other fellow.

## LEO BENDER HAS FRACTURED BONE

**X-ray Discloses Extent of Villa Grove Youth's Injury.**

Villa Grove, Dec. 8.—Leon Bender, the young man who was blown across street when the explosion in the Roberts cleaning establishment occurred last Thursday morning, is found to have suffered the fracture of one pelvis bone and the other was cracked. This was disclosed by the X-ray, when young Bender found it impossible to lie on his back. At first it was reported that no bones were broken in the accident.

Mr. Bender's parents Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Bender of Bloomington, Ind., are with him at the Jarman hospital in Tuscola, where he has been placed in a plaster cast. It will be six weeks before he can leave the hospital, and probably six months before he can resume work.

PROPERTY LOSS $3,000

The loss of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Roberts, proprietors of the cleaning establishment, is be[illegible] $3,000 with no [illegible]

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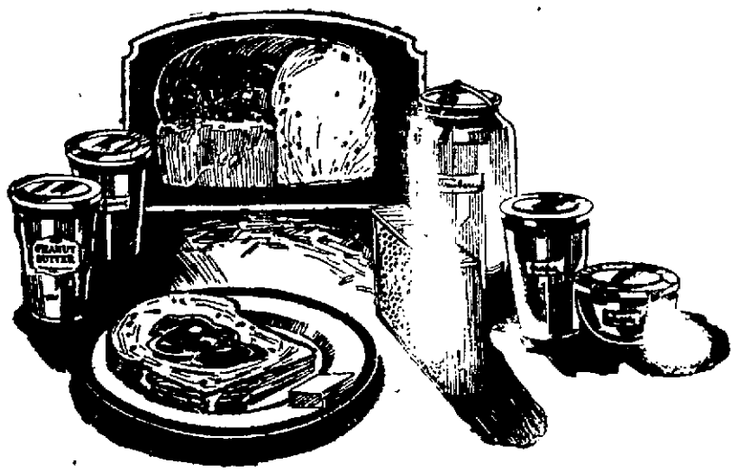

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# RADIO

## Programs

(Decatur Time)

### Monday Program.

CHICAGO STATIONS

6 p. m.—
WLS (345)—Summary of livestock grain dairy fruit and vegetable poultry and egg marketing for the day, farm news bulletins hay and feed market review
WGN (370)—Organ recital from Lyon & Healy
KYW (536)—General news review
WMAQ (447 5)—Chicago Theater organ recital

6 30 p. m.—
KYW (536)—Bedtime story told by Uncle Bob
WMAQ (447 5)—Hotel La Salle orchestra
WGN (370)—Dinner concert by the Blackstone String Quintet and the Drake concert ensemble
(Silent night in Chicago after 7 p m)

OTHER STATIONS

6 p. m.—
WNAC (278)—Boston Dumbell contest
WWJ (580)—Detroit Orchestra music
WOAW (526)—Omaha Dramatic hour
WEAF (492)—New York City Dinner music
WJZ (4 )—New York City Concert orchestra
KGO (312)—Oakland Dance orchestra
WCCO (417)—St Paul Minneapolis Sport hour
WBZ (337)—Springfield Mass Bedtime story
WFI (395)—Philadelphia Childrens program
WIP (509)—Philadelphia Uncle Wips bedtime stories

6 15 p. m.—
WGY (380)—Schenectady Address

6 30 p. m.—
WOO (509)—Philadelphia Dinner music
WCAP (469)—Washington Concert Mandolin and guitar orchestra
KPO (423)—San Francisco Fairmont Hotel orchestra
WDAI (39 )—Philadelphia Childrens program
WCAE (462)—Pittsburgh Uncle Kay bee
WOAW (526)—Omaha Fr l ie Hughes tenor

6 45 p. m.—
WOC (484)—Davenport Sport news and weather forecast
WGY (380)—S len tad Aeolian Saxophone quartet
WDAR (395)—Philadelphia Sh t Agro waves

7 p. m.—
WTAM (390)—Cleveland Symphony orchestra
WNAC (278)—Boston M usical program
KSD (546)—St Louis Music and specialties from Missouri Theater
WMH (309)—Cincinnati Original Blue Grass Entertainers
WLAR (39 )—Philadelphia Concert orchestra
KDKA (326)—East Pittsburgh Feature program
WLW (423)—Cincinnati Musical program
WOC (484)—Davenport S r m in visit

7 10 p. m.—
WLW (423)—Cincinnati Dance program

7 30 p. m.—
WOC (484)—Davenport Educational lecture

7 30 p. m.—
WHO (526)—Des Moines Instrumental music
WHB (411)—Kansas City Popular music program
WJZ (455)—New York City Pedingnt

W (405)—Newark Musical program
WGAZ (2 7)—South Bend Music
WAHG (316)—Long Island Estelle May- violinist
WOO (509)—Philadelphia Musical program
KFI (469)—Los Angeles Examiner news bulletins
KDKA (326)—Pittsburgh Little Symphony orchestra
WLAR (395)—Philadelphia Artist recital
WSAI (309)—Cincinnati Musical program

8 p. m.—
WOS (440 9)—Jefferson City Musical program
WNAC (278)—Boston Violin and piano
WHAZ (380)—Troy Concert
WCCO (417) St Paul Minneapolis Travelogue
WAHG (316) Long Island WAHG Radio Santa Claus
WDAF (411)—Kansas City Band concert
WHO (526)—Des Moines Classical program
WOC (484)—Davenport Davenport
WMH (309) Cincinnati Original Blue Grass Entertainers

8 15 p. m.—
WJZ (455) New York City Philosophy of Nutrition

8 30 p. m.—
WCAE (462)—Pittsburgh Concert
W (4 )— program
KOB (3 ) State College N M Musical program
WFAA (476)—Dallas Recital
WJZ (455)—New York City Program
WAHG (316)—Long Island Kay Macrae soprano
WBZ (337)—Springfield Concert
WDAR (395) Philadelphia Symphony orchestra

9 p. m.—
WSAI (309)—Cincinnati Popular songs
KSD (546)—St Louis Musical program
KDKA (326)—East Pittsburgh Boxing match
WBZ (337)—Springfield Musical program
WOO (509)—Philadelphia Grand organ recital
KPO (423)—San Francisco Fairmont Hotel orchestra
WDAR (395) Philadelphia Dance orchestra
WAHG (316)—Long Island Violin solo
WOAW (526)—Omaha Concert program
WSOE (246)—Milwaukee Dance lesson dance music
WOR (405)—Newark Dance program

9 15 p. m.—
WSAI (309)—Cincinnati Cliff Burns Country Club orchestra
WAHG (316)—Long Island Charles Wilins piano
WTAM (390)—Cleveland Dance program
WCCO (417) St Paul Minneapolis Orchestra music
WOO (509) Philadelphia Dance program

10 p. m.—
WCAE (462)—Pittsburgh Orchestra program
WAHG (316)—Long Island Recital
WOC (484)—Davenport Musical program
KGO (312)—Educational program
KFI (469)—Los Angeles Evening Herald program
KLX (509)—Oakland Dance music
KPO (423)—San Francisco Organ recital

10 15 p. m.—
WAHG (316)—Long Island Sam Comly and movie stars
WSAI (309)—Cincinnati Orchestra program

10 30 p. m.—
WBZ (337)—Springfield Dance music

11 p. m.—
WAHG (316)—Long Island Colonial Royal Dance orchestra
KSD (546)—St Louis Program by Rainbow orchestra
KPO (423)—San Francisco Vocal and instrumental program
KFI (469)—Los Angeles Examiner studio program

11 15 to 12 p. m.—
WHO (526)—Des Moines Organ recital

11 45 p. m.—
WDAF (411)—Kansas City Nighthawk frolic

12 midnight—
KFI (469)—Los Angeles Dance orchestra
KGO (312)—Oakland Dance music

### Tuesday Program.

(Courtesy of Radio Digest)
(By Associated Press)

WEEI Boston (303) 6 Big Brother club 6 30 musical 7 talk 7 30 musical 8 program from WEAF
WGR Buffalo (319) 6 music 8 9 Lver ady hour
WMAQ Chicago News (447 5) 6 organ 6 30 orchestra 8 book review 8 20 Clara Laughlin 8 40 talk 8 50 lecture 9 15 musical
WLS Chicago (345) 6 30 organ 7 10 15 entertainers farm program orchestra 10 40 12 music review
KYW Chicago (536) 6 35 bedtime 7 concert 7 8 8 30 stage review musical 10 At home
WQJ Chicago (448) 7 8 concert quartet 10 Rainbo Skylark
WLW Cincinnati (423) 10 12 music
WJ Cleveland News (390) 6 30 bedtime story 7 concert
WL Dallas News (476) 8 30 violinist 11 organ
WWJ Detroit News (517) 6 News orchestra concert
KNX Hollywood (337) 8 music 10 1 dance
WDAF Kansas City Star (411) 6 7 School of the Air 11 1 Nighthawks
KHJ Los Angeles Times (395) 8 concert 8 30 children 10 classical 12 orchestra
WHAS Louisville Courier Times (400) 7 30 concert
WMC Memphis Commercial Appeal (500) 8 1 Itune 8 30 drama league play 11 Alda Brett Dick Finch
WCAY Milwaukee (266) 9 15 band serenaders quartette
WCCO Minneapolis St Paul (417) 6 30 concert soprano
CKAC Montreal (425) 6 30 orchestra 7 30 entertainers 9 30 orchestra
WHN New York (360) 6 movies critic 6 10 employment broadcasting 8 30 orchestra 9 dance 10 30 music 11 30 orchestra
WEAF New York (492) 6 30 orchestra 7 0 John & Hill 7 30 Gold Dust Twins, 8 National Carbon company 9 trio 9 30 orchestra
WOR Newark (405) 6 music 6 15 sports
KGO Oakland (312) 6 concert 10 Cinderella Instrumental trio 12 dance soloists
WOAW Omaha (526) 6 Advice to Lovelorn 6 25 program 9 church orchestra 10 30 Wow!
WOAR Philadelphia (395) 6 30 talk 7 concert 9 05 dance
WFI Philadelphia (395) 6 talk 7 concert
WCAE Pittsburgh (462) 6 30 Uncle Kaybee 6 45 special 7 30 concert 8 entertainers 9 10 entertainment
KGW Portland (492) 10 lecture 10 30 concert 12 dance
WKAQ Porto Rico (360) 11 12 30 jazz band talk musical
KPO San Francisco (423) 6 40 orchestra 7 30 children 9 orchestra 10 soprano pianist 11 xylophone marimba music 12 band
WGY Schenectady (380) 6 45 drama talk 7 orchestra program 8 15 Sir Esme Howard
KFOA Seattle (455) 9 15 bedtime 10 orchestra 11 concert 12 orchestra
WBZ Springfield (337) 6 05 story 6 30 orchestra 7 30 program
KSD St Louis Post Dispatch (546) 6 concert 9 program address
WRC Washington (469) 7 dramatic talk 7 30 talk 8 politics 8 20 concert 9 1 orchestra

## BUCKINGHAM TALK ON STATION WJAN

The address of Col George T Buckingham, general counsel of the Illinois Power and Light Co who is to address the Peoria Association of Commerce annual dinner Monday night will be broadcast from station WJAN, the Peoria Star, on a wave length of 275 meters at about 8 15 o clock

Mr Buckingham is to address the Decatur Association of Commerce annual meeting in January

## DIES IN WISCONSIN BURIED IN VANDALIA

Vandalia Dec 8—Wm Harding aged about fifty years, died Saturday at the home of his brother, Harry Harding in Osceola Wis The body was brought here Sunday night and conveyed to the home of his sister Mrs Norman Jones where the funeral was held Monday with interment in South Hill Deceased a son of the late M J Harding was born and raised here but removed from here to Minnesota some twenty years ago He underwent an operation recently in Minneapolis and was given temporary relief and left the hospital for his brothers home He leaves the widow two children one brother Harry two sisters Mrs Norman Jones this city and Mrs George James Salem

Mr and Mrs W L Allison and Mrs J G Burnsides went to Chicago Saturday the former to visit their daughter Mrs Alvin Hudson and the latter her daughter Miss Lyda who is in training as a nurse

Mr and Mrs J R Myers and son Walter went to Taylorville Saturday and remained over Sunday with Mr and Mrs Walter Slaybaugh

Mrs Jas Alexander went to Decatur Saturday to visit a niece several days

## PANA CARPENTER PAINFULLY HURT

### Hand Lacerated in Sprocket Wheel.

Pana Dec 8—Joe Fisher employed on the new Catholic church met with a painful accident Saturday noon while at work when a sprocket wheel on a hoisting machine he was operating caught his hand and lacerated the fingers badly He was taken to the Huber Memorial hospital for treatment

COSTLY WRECK

The Big Four suffered a costly wreck in the west yards at Pana Saturday morning An east bound freight train stopped there and uncoupled the engine to get a water supply When the engineer backed up to the train he evidently misjudged his distance for the engine crashed through a box car loaded with cast iron refrigerators and damaged a coal car The wrecking crew from Mattoon was summoned

Miss Bernice Cook of Nokomis has arrived in this city to enter the nurses training school at the Huber Memorial hospital

A OF C DINNER

The members of the Pana Association of Commerce will enjoy a round up supper to be held Thursday evening Dec 11, at 6 30 sharp in the lodge room adjoining the Association offices The date first set for the dinner was Tuesday, but was changed to the later date

The dinner will be served by the Baptist Young Peoples Union and bids fair to be a feast proper

Judge John W Preihs will give a talk on how the Pana Association of Commerce has helped the city There will be a splendid musical program

ANOTHER GARAGE

Will F Selt has purchased the building lot on East Second street located opposite the Beyers agency and will erect a fine fire proof garage thereon The property was purchased from the estate of the late David M White and is one of the finest building lots in the city

Mr Selt will begin the construction of the building the first of this week It will be one of the most modern and up-to-date structures in the city

Word has been received in this city of the death of Mrs Mary L Cimlin nee Swim for many years a resident of Pana and recently residing at Evanston Ill Her death occurred Thursday evening in that city Deceased was a sister of Mrs Annie McElroy of Chicago and was the wife of the late J A. McElroy She is survived by several brothers and sisters, and one son, Albert, Cimlin

The funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at Lombard, Ill, with burial in that city.

## AGED MANSFIELD PIONEER IS TAKEN

Mansfield Dec 8—Mrs Emeline Wolf known as Grandma Wolf died at her home near Mansfield Sunday morning, Dec 7 at 12 30 o clock at the age of ninety years and twenty-three days She was born Nov 14 1834 at Baltimore Ohio, where she grew to womanhood and in November 1858 was married to Gideon Wolf Sixty-two years ago Mr. and Mrs Wolf with one child came by wagon to Illinois and settled on a farm north of Mansfield later moving to their farm, west of Mansfield where both passed away Her husband preceded her in death twenty-eight years ago Mrs Wolf has been failing in health the last five years but was confined to her bed only the last four days She was one of a family of thirteen children who have all preceded her in death

Mr and Mrs Wolf were the parents of ten children all living five sons and five daughters, namely B F Wolf Calvin Wolf Wilson Wolf Mrs Elenora Warren, Mrs Ida Curt and Mrs Bertha Dunbar of Mansfield Mrs Rosetta Warren of Champaign Harry Wolf of Gibson City and Miss Anna and Walter at home, the two latter having cared for her faithfully in her declining years She leaves two step-sons Henry Wolf of Sonora Ohio and John Wolf of Deland Ill twenty-seven grandchildren thirty-five great-grandchildren and one great great grandchild The ten children were all at her bedside when she passed away

She joined the Baptist church when a young girl Funeral services will be held at the Methodist Episcopal church in Mansfield Tuesday afternoon at 2 o clock conducted by the pastor Rev H L Thrall Burial will take place in the Mansfield cemetery beside the grave of her husband

Roscoe House of Embalming school Chicago came down Sunday evening to take charge of the funeral of Mrs Emeline Wolf

BAZAAR A SUCCESS

The Methodist Episcopal Aid society held a successful bazaar and served lunch Saturday afternoon and evening at the town hall Lunch was served this year instead of a regular supper This is an annual affair Three booths held sales as follows The fancy work and apron booth took in $135 82 the farmers' booth took in $17 34 the home made candy booth $12 29 and the lunches served amounted to $38 03 the total being $203 48 The ladies feel well paid for their trouble in trying to make this bazaar a success

Louis Ochs of Bloomington was here Saturday

Richard House, near Savoy was here looking after the interests of his farm, near town, where he will move in the spring

Mrs Edna Wells was visiting homefolks in Gibson City, Sunday

## JAMES FUNERAL IS HELD IN COWDEN

Cowden, Dec 8—The funeral of Benjamin James was held at 1 30 p m Friday at the Free Methodist church of which he had been a member for many years Rev J G Yech officiating Burial was in the Neal cemetery

Mr and Mrs N G Rasor returned from St Louis Friday evening, where they had been this week as witnesses in the trial about the Mrs Arena Pierson estate

The W H M S will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs Electa Flenniken

The ladies of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold their Annual Christmas Bazaar Dec 13 They will serve dinner and supper

George Riley of St Louis was in Cowden Friday and Saturday looking after his business interests here

DEFEATS STRASBURG

The Cowden basketball team defeated the Strasburg team at Strasburg nineteen to seventeen Friday night The Cowden team has been greatly handicapped in their practice by having to practice out doors It is thought that the gymnasium will be near enough completed for use by the 17th

The P T A on Friday afternoon was largely attended County Superintendent O O Barker was present and made an interesting address Mr Barker also spoke in the evening to the church training class of the Methodist Episcopal church on the 'Patriotism of Peace.'

Miss Ardath Frye returned home Friday from a visit of several weeks in Argyle Wis

Mrs Dudley Tasart has returned from a visit with Springfield and Champaign relatives

Calvin Edward the month old son of Mr and Mrs Harold Carlisle of Ramsey died at the home of its grandparents Mr and Mrs J B Carlisle on Tuesday night Services were conducted at the home Wednesday afternoon by Rev E U Smith Burial at the Mound cemetery

Mrs E U Smith returned Friday from Loogootee where she was called by the illness of his mother


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# A Statement of Fact to the Public

This Company deeply regrets that our patrons and the public in general are subjected to the inconvenience of cessation of service on these lines.

That the public may know briefly the reasons for the present situation we call attention to the following facts.

After some days spent in negotiation this Company was asked by a committee representing the trainmen to submit a proposition to the men.

THREE proposition were submitted by the Company which are abstracted as follows:

**FIRST.** That pending further negotiation, an agreement should be made continuing the contract which expired December 1st and that the wage scale finally agreed to should be retroactive to December 1, 1924.

**SECOND.** While this Company in its efforts to continue railway service in its territory has urgent need for reduced expenses it is willing to co-operate to the extent of renewing the recently expired contract for a period of from three to six months . This was later extended by the Company to a full year.

**THIRD.** Submittal of the entire matter to arbitration as arranged for in the last contract.

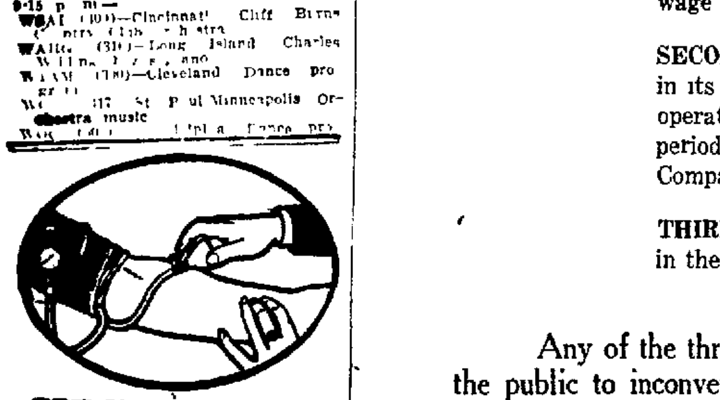
Any of the three propositions could lead to a settlement without the necessity of putting the public to inconvenience. Instead of submitting these propositions to the men the committee rejected them and gave a six hour strike notice.

Under these circumstances we feel that the burden for cessation of service will have to be on the members of the committee representing the trainmen and not on the management of the Illinois Traction System.

We will be pleased to send a complete file of a report of the negotiations to date to any-one interested upon application to the General Office, Springfield, Illinois.

# Illinois Traction System





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FINAL SPECIAL TAX NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Decatur Illinois having let the contract for the construction of the local improvement of the roadway of North Edward Street from the north line of West Division Street to the south line produced of the right of way of the Illinois Central Railroad Company for the full width of 30 feet between curbs and including that part of North Edward Street at intersecting streets from the curb lines to the lot lines of said North Edward Street for the full width of existing pavement between curbs but excepting that part of North Edward Street now occupied by street car tracks and a space between the rails between the tracks and a strip 1 foot 6 inches outside each outside rail of said tracks which by contract the Illinois Power and Light Corporation its successors or assigns are required to pave by removing the present bitulithic surface and placing on the present concrete base an asphaltic binder 1½ inches in thickness with a wearing surface consisting of sheet asphalt 1½ inches in thickness the removal of necessary combination curb and gutter at intersections the necessary new curb the necessary removal of old sidewalks and the construction of standard concrete sidewalks the necessary grading of parkings catch basins and sewer pipe drains for adequate drainage to existing sewers the necessary concrete slabs over trenches and depressions all complete in place in the City of Decatur Illinois and the same having been completed and accepted by said Board on the 5th day of December A D 1924 and said Board having filed in the County Court of Macon County Illinois on the 5th day of December A D 1924 a certificate showing that the said improvement conforms substantially to the requirements of the original ordinance for the construction of the same the costs thereof the amount estimated by them to be required to pay accruing interest on bonds and vouchers issued to anticipate collection of the special tax for said improvement a hearing will be had on said certificate as to the truth of the facts stated therein at the County Court Room in the Court House in the City of Decatur on the 22nd day of December A D 1924 at 10 00 o clock a m or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit

All persons desiring may file objections in said Court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense

Dated at Decatur Illinois this 6th day of December A D 1924

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Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Decatur Illinois having let the contract for the construction of the local improvement of the roadway of North Water street from a line drawn 2 feet north of and parallel to the north rail of the track of the Illinois Central Railroad Company crossing North Water Street north to a line drawn 30 feet north of and parallel to the north line of the South Half of the Southwest Quarter of Section 2 Township 16 North Range 2 East of the Third Principal Meridian and the said line produced west for the full width of 40 feet between curbs and including that portion of North Water Street at intersecting streets from the curb lines to the property lines of said North Water Street for the full width of 28 feet between curbs excepting that part of North Water Street north of the north line of South Half of the Southwest Quarter of said Section 2 and the same produced west now occupied by existing concrete pavement by excavating grading and preparing subgrade by placing thereon a Portland cement concrete pavement 7 inches in thickness consisting of 1 part Portland cement 2 parts of clean sharp coarse sand and 4 parts of clean washed stone or gravel together with sufficient water to produce a mixture which will hold its shape when deposited on subgrade and shall not be of such consistency as to cause separation of the mortar from the coarse aggregate in handling When struck off to a true surface there shall be cast immediately upon this surface a uniform layer of crushed granite having a French coefficient of not less than 14 and graded in sizes that will pass a 2½ inch ring and be retained on a 1½ inch ring and from which no intermediate size shall be removed The amount of crushed granite shall be such that 1 cubic yard measured by volume shall cover 45 square yards of pavement After being spread on the surface the crushed granite shall be forced into the concrete and made a part thereof and the whole mass shall be so compacted as to leave the pavement of maximum density uniform in character throughout and true to cross section and surface the necessary combination curb and gutter the necessary manholes the necessary catch basins and sewer pipe drains the necessary grading of parkings all complete in place and the same having been completed and accepted by said Board on the 5th day of December A D 1924 and said Board having filed in the County Court of Macon County Illinois on the 5th day of December A D 1924 a certificate showing that the said improvement conforms substantially to the requirements of the original ordinance for the construction of the same the costs thereof the amount estimated by them to be required to pay accruing interest on bonds and vouchers issued to anticipate collection of the special tax for said improvement a hearing will be had on said certificate as to the truth of the facts stated therein at the County Court Room in the Court House in the City of Decatur on the 22nd day of December A D 1924 at 10 00 o clock a m or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit

All persons desiring may file objections in said Court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense

Dated at Decatur Illinois this 6th day of December A D 1924

ELMER R ELDER Mayor
PHILIP KAYSER
ARTHUR L McNABB.
TOM W PITNER
HARRY RUTHRAUFF
Commissioners Board of Local Improvements of the City of Decatur Illinois

LEE BOLAND, Corporation Counsel

## CITY ADVERTISING

FINAL SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the City Council of the City of Decatur Illinois, having let the contract for the construction of the local improvement consisting of a 6 inch cast iron water main in Leafland Avenue beginning in the present 6 inch water main in Leafland Avenue and connected thereto at a point 9 feet west of the west line of North Broadway Street and 133 feet north of the south line of Leafland Avenue thence west along a line 133 feet north of and parallel to the south line of Leafland Avenue to the intersection of said line with the extended center line of the first alley running north and south east of North Water Street, thence north along said extended center line of said alley to connect with the present 6 inch water main at the intersection of the center line of Leafland Avenue with said extended center line of said alley together with necessary fittings and other appurtenances the necessary excavation and removing and relaying present pavement and backfilling all complete in place in the City of Decatur, Illinois and the same having been completed and accepted by said Board on the 5th day of December A D 1924 and said Board having filed in the County Court of Macon County, Illinois on the 5th day of December A D 1924 a certificate showing that the said improvement conforms substantially to the requirements of the original ordinance for the construction of the same the costs thereof the amount estimated by them to be required to pay accruing interest on bonds and vouchers issued to anticipate collection of the assessment for said improvement a hearing will be had on said certificate as to the truth of the facts stated therein at the County Court Room in the Court House in the City of Decatur on the 22nd day of December A D 1924 at 10 00 o clock a m or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit

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Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Decatur Illinois having let the contract for the construction of the local improvement of the roadway of Seventh Street from the north line of East Wood Street north to the north line of East Eldorado Street for the full width of 30 feet between curbs and including those portions of said Seventh Street from the curb lines to lot lines thereof at intersecting streets and alleys as follows On west side of said Seventh Street for the full width of existing pavements at East Main Street East Prairie Street and East William Street and of 28 feet between curbs at East North Street and 40 feet between curbs at East Eldorado Street and on the east side of said Seventh Street for the full width between curbs of 28 feet at East Main Street, East North Street and East Eldorado Street and of 32 feet between curbs at East Prairie Street and at East William Street and on both sides of said Seventh Street for the full width of 16 feet between curbs at all intersecting alleys excepting that part of Seventh Street extending from south line of East William Street north to the north line of East Eldorado Street now occupied by street car tracks being the space between the rails and a strip 1 foot 6 inches outside each outside rail of said track also excepting that part of Seventh Street now occupied by the track of the Cincinnati Indianapolis and Western Railroad Company and a space 2 feet outside of and parallel to each rail of said track by excavating grading and preparing the subgrade by placing thereon a Portland cement concrete pavement 7 inches in thickness consisting of 1 part Portland cement 2 parts clean sharp coarse sand and 4 parts of clean washed stone or gravel together with sufficient water to produce a mixture which will hold its shape when deposited on subgrade and shall not be of such consistency as to cause separation of the mortar from the course aggregate in handling When struck off to a true surface there shall be cast immediately upon this surface a uniform layer of crushed granite having a French coefficient of not less than 14 and graded in sizes that will pass a 2½ inch ring and be retained on a 1½ inch ring and from which no intermediate sizes shall be removed The amount of crushed granite shall be such that 1 cubic yard measured by volume shall cover 45 square yards of pavement After being spread on the surface the crushed granite shall be forced into the concrete and made a part thereof and the whole mass shall be so compacted as to leave the pavement of maximum density uniform in character throughout and true to cross section and surface also including that part of said Seventh Street now occupied by street car tracks on curve from the west line of Seventh Street to the north line of William Street also from the south line of East North Street to the north line of East North Street and from the south line of East Eldorado Street to the north line of East Eldorado Street being the space between the rails and a space one foot six inches outside each rail of said track by excavating grading, placing and preparing subgrade by placing thereon a Portland cement concrete foundation 5 inches in thickness of mixture and consistency aforesaid a 1 inch cushion of clean sharp coarse sand spread on concrete foundation, a wearing surface of vitrified brick not less than 3 inches in depth by 4 inches in width by 8½ inches in length with an asphalt filler and a coating of dry coarse sand by installing the necessary combination curb and gutter brick catch basins brick manholes vitrified sewer pipe drains and the necessary grading of parkings all complete in place in the City of Decatur, Illinois and the same having been completed and accepted by said Board on the 5th day of December A D 1924 and said Board having filed in the County Court of Macon County Illinois on the 5th day of December A D 1924, a certificate showing that the said improvement conforms substantially to the requirements of the original ordinance for the construction of the same the costs thereof the amount estimated by them to be required to pay accruing interest on bonds and vouchers issued to anticipate collection of the special tax for said improvement a hearing will be had on said certificate as to the truth of the facts stated therein at the County Court Room in the Court House in the City of Decatur on the 22nd day of December A D 1924 at 10 00 o'clock a m or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit

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# TO HUNT ON LAKE; FARMERS PROTEST

## May Prosecute Any Trespassing on Land.

## ORDER IS EFFECTIVE

### State Allows Shooting Above Rea Bridge.

An order from the State Department of Agriculture authorizing the opening of that part of Lake Decatur lying above the Rea bridge for the hunting of water fowl and shore birds was authorized to be published in The Review today. The order is effective now.

Amendment of the previous order of the Department which closed the lake from all shooting and designated it as a preserve and refuge for migratory birds, came after several weeks of sustained effort on the part of several groups of Decatur men to have a portion of the lake opened.

MAYOR ACTION.

Roy Moore of the Elk's club and Mayor Elmer Elder were among the most active agitators for the amendment. Mr. Moore presented several petitions both to the city council and to the state Department while Mayor Elder proposed the resolution in the city council which was passed, placing that body on record as favoring the opening of the upper part of the lake.

In opposition to the proposed action were the large numbers of Decatur men who had worked to have the state designate the lake as a game refuge, a larger group of sportsmen and conservationists who foresaw in the letting down of the bars on a portion of the lake the spoiling of the entire refuge which has sheltered thousands of migratory fowls since the body of water was first created, and a more interested group of farmers and land-holders on the lake who have a property interest in the proposal.

WATER SUPPLY CO. NEUTRAL.

The Water Supply Co., consulted by the state department as to its views on the matter took no definite stand one way or the other, but merely signified that in the opinion of the members of the company there was no widespread demand for the opening.

Sportsmen and conservationists have voiced their sentiments on the matter ever since the proposal was first made. A number of them have made statements to The Review in which they stated that they were opposed to the action.

FARMERS PROTEST.

It is from the farmers that the greatest protest has come and will come. Although shooting is only permitted on the waters of the lake itself and along its shores, which means from the water's edge to the 615 level to which the Water Supply company bought the land, the hunters who are expected to flock to the newly opened grounds have but two ways of reaching the shooting grounds—by water, or across the land of the farmers.

MAY PROSECUTE.

The farmers contend that they may post their land and prosecute for trespass all who cross their land, but that they will be constantly bothered by trespassers, that their stock will be endangered and that there will be danger to other hunters on the lake. The 615 level line which is the boundary between open and closed territory is but an imaginary line at best and consequently will leave the closed land open for invasion.

In the meantime, thousands of ducks are now in the open area and with the ban lifted and almost a month of the duck season remaining open, a general slaughter of the birds is to be expected.

## DEATHS.

LEONARD SMALLEY.

Leonard Smalley, of Ohlman, Ill. Seventy years old, died in the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. A. Sellers, 750 West Waggoner street, at 10 o'clock Monday after a brief illness of heart trouble. He was here on a visit with his daughter having arrived with his wife five weeks ago.

Mr. Smalley was born in Plainview, Ill., June 26, 1854. He leaves his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Sellers of Decatur, Miss Mabel Smalley of Nokomis; two sons, Clarence of Mulberry Grove, Ill., and Leonard H. Smalley of Nokomis. One daughter, Mrs. Ada DeWitt died. He also leaves a half sister, Mrs. F. A. Traughber, Decatur, a sister, Mrs. Lilly Hines, Girard, Ill., a brother Weston Smalley of Butler, Ill.

He was a member of the Nokomis Baptist church.

## NEGRO AROUSES WINDSOR FAMILY

Windsor Gazette: At 1 o'clock in the morning W. B. Turner's, who live near the Big Four track east of town, were awakened by the savage barking of their dog. Almost simultaneously some one in the yard cried "hello" and knocked vigorously on the door. Mr. Turner got his gun and opening the door very cautiously with the gun protruding through the narrow opening saw a big negro. The negro stammered out some excuse and asked if there were any colored folks living in the community. He was informed that there were none, and was advised to make himself scarce in the neighborhood.

## *Church Notes*

Rev. J. T. Stretton of Sargent Methodist church is in Villa Grove this week where he is assisting in special services which are being held in the church there.

Rev. E. W. Clippinger of the First Presbyterian church will attend the Presbyterian church conference in Chicago this week.

## Lodge Elections.

**Decatur Canton.**

Officers for the ensuing year were elected by Decatur Canton, No. 10 at the regular meeting held in the I. O. O. F. hall. They are as follows:

Captain—Carter Earnshaw.
Lieutenant—Orsie O'Dell.
Ensign—Jesse Hilt.
Cleth—Arthur C. Lehman.

# I. P. L. HAS NEW $5,000,000 ISSUE

New York, Dec. 8—Financing today included a new issue of $5,000,000 Illinois Power and Light corporation first and refunding mortgage 5½ per cent thirty year gold bonds at 97 and interest yielding more than 5.70 per cent.

# HARD ROADS AND AUTOS HELP OUT

## Clinton People Get Along Without Interurban.

Clinton, Dec. 8—While the traction strike caused some little inconvenience, due to the suddenness with which it was called, citizens of Dewitt county were enabled to adjust themselves to circumstances on account of the hard roads and automobiles.

Early in the day, when it became generally known that traction service had ceased, there was a general calal upon local garage owners for all available cars and before noon, all automobiles able to move under their own power, were paced in service.

During the afternoon and evening, when the rain storm made the dirt roads slippery, over a dozen calls were received from drivers who had skidded into the ditch. Probably the worst accident occasioned to Clinton folks was that in which Lee Macon, an Illinois Central employe had his Buick touring car smashed by a street car near Springfield.

Several hundred dollars damage was done to the car when it skidded on the track and was struck in the rear by the street car. Luckily there was no one hurt.

ARRESTED.

Ora Gaddis, well known Clinton character, was arrested Sunday evening by policeman Farnsworth charged with drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

To these charges will be added that of resisting an officer and it is probable that a heavy sentence will be asked by the prosecution. Gaddis was arrested near the Clintonia theater where crowds of theater patrons were compelledto listen to much profanity and vulgarity before he was removed to the city jail.

DIVORCE ASKED.

Mrs. Hazel Pennington filed suit in the circuit court Saturday for divorce from Charles A. Pennington, charging cruelty extending through a period of seventeen years. A former suit filed by Mrs. Pennington during August, 1922, was dismissed by application of the plaintiff a year later.

There are three children, Charles Jr., 13, Marie, 11, and Herbert, 9, the custody of whom is asked for by the mother but there is no alimony called for by the bill as it is understood that a satisfactory property settlement was made a year ago.

Mrs. Pennington, her brother Frank Stewart and E. K. Henicker were recently arrested for violation of the Illinois Prohibition law and thirteen gallons of 105 proof "bottled in barn" stuff was discovered and poured into the sewer by officers. The two men were given jail sentences and heavy fines, but Mrs. Pennington was fined $200 and placed on probation.

## *Church Calendar*

MONDAY AND TUESDAY.

The Girls' Friendly society of St. John's Episcopal church will meet at 7 o'clock Monday evening in the parish house.

The young people's Bible class of the Church of the Brethren will meet at 7:30 Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. Brown, North Monroe street.

The Luther League of the English Lutheran church will have its monthly meeting at the church at 7:30 Monday evening.

The class on Christian fundamentals will meet in the St. Johannes' Lutheran church at 7:30 Monday evening.

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Christian church will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. W. B. Rigg, 1019 North Edward. The Young Ladies' Missionary circle will meet Tuesday evening with Miss Caroline Hill, 423 West Olive. The choir will meet promptly at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening.

The Young Woman's Missionary circle of the Central Church of Christ will meet at the church at 7:30 Monday evening with Miss Iva Puckett as hostess. Miss Mae Goodrich is the leader.

Revival services will continue all week in the Third United Brethren church. Children of the Sunday school will meet after school Tuesday evening to rehearse for the Christmas program.

The alumni association of the Second United Brethren church will meet Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton.

The young married men's Bible class of the First United Brethren church will meet at 7:30 Tuesday evening with Fred Conard, 2104 East Cantrell.

The trustees of the Congregational church will meet at the church at 7:30 Monday evening. The Pierian club will meet at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Earl Bryan.

The senior Queen Esther society of St. Paul's Methodist church will meet Monday evening with Miss Ella Markels, 428 North Illinois. The W. F. M. S. will meet at 7:30 Tuesday evening in the church.

The Sunday school board of Grace Methodist church will have its regular meeting at 7:30 Monday evening. There will be election of officers and all members are urged to attend. The W. H. M. S. will meet at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon at the church. Mrs R. L. Dixon and group three will be hostesses. Devotions will be in charge of Mrs. Ira P. Clark and Mrs. Bertha M. Cobb will lead the lesson.

The Y. W. F. M. S. of the First Methodist church will meet at the church Monday evening. Miss Iona Scott will have the devotions and Miss Mildred Buchholz will have the lesson. Hostesses are Misses Marie Seeforth and Hazel Wiley. Each member is to bring a twenty-five cent gift for the grab box. Standard Bearers will meet with Miss Margaret Ammann, 831 East Cantrell, Tuesday evening This is the Christmas meeting and a program will be given.

Mrs. Overman's Sunday school class of the First Presbyterian church will have a supper in the church at 6:15 Monday evening. All members are urged to attend. Boy Scouts troop six will meet in the church at 7:20 Monday evening.

The executive board of the Riverside Baptist church will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the church.

The Pastor's Church Aid will meet in the Antioch Baptist church at 8 o'clock Monday evening for election of officers. A program will be given in the high school auditorium at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, by the Ever Ready club, with Miss Stella Walters, chairman.

District two of the First Baptist church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the home of Miss Flora Smart, 310 West Eldorado street.

The regular meeting of the board of deacons of the First Baptist church will be held Monday evening at 7:30 in the church.

District seven of the First Baptist church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Ruck, 1112 East North street.

Mr. Miner's class of boys of the First Baptist church will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 with Bayard Marsh, 945 West William street.

# THE OLD HOME TOWN *By Stanley*

# MOWEAQUA CAR IS TURNED OVER

## Charles Ahl and Party Are Injured.

Moweaqua, Dec. 8—On Sunday evening about 5 o'clock a Dodge car driven by Charles Ahl turned over near the Oscar Odell farm, a mile and a half north of town. Mr. and Mrs. Ahl, Mrs. C. A. Hedges and Miss Edna Day were the occupants.

Mrs. Hedges was the only one who sustained a real injury, being hurt about the shoulder. An X-ray picture will be taken to discover the extent of the trouble.

Mrs. Ahl's face was bruised and her eye blacked, while the other two were fortunate enough to escape injury.

The rain and blinding light from passing cars caused a swerve off of the concrete, and in getting back a skid upset the car. Passers by extricated the occupants and brought them to their homes.

The car looks decidedly the worse for wear, with a smashed back wheel, wind shield gone and the top caved in. The wonder is that no one was killed, or injured more seriously.

Mrs. Cecil Workman is very sick at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bassler.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Hopson of Crowley, Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Kyner and Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Ayars were guests in the Drew home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walsh and daughters of Decatur were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wood, son Byron and daughter Helen Jean of Jacksonville, are guests in the Jordan-Longenbaugh home.

Jean Light of Decatur spent the week-end in the Andrews home. Mrs. Light is recovering from an abscess in the ear.

Misses Helen and Kathryn Day and Paul Rollins were in Assumption Saturday night.

Miss Dorothy Dobson of J. M. U. spent the week-end at home.

Miss Vera Rettig has gone to Normal University to take a course in primary and kindergarten work.

Miss Blanche Garrett of Millikin university was home for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Myers and Mr. and Mrs. Mart Ayars visited in Decatur Sunday.

ADAM SNYDER IMPROVES.

The condition of Adam Snyder is improved and physicians say he has a fighting chance, with his constitution, to recover. Mrs. Jarman Snyder of Memphis has arrived, to be near him.

E. A. Johnson of Peoria, was here Saturday on his way to the Shelby county poultry show at Shelbyville, where he judges the birds.

EASTERN STAR MEETS.

On Tuesday evening the Eastern Star will hold its regular meeting. Entertainment and eats will be an additional attraction.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sanner, Jr., of Decatur spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mary Undine Walsh of Decatur spent the week-end with her cousin, Sherry Alta home.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howse Dec. 7, a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Botner, Dec. 7, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Hopson of Crowley, La., were Friday guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Kyner.

Mrs. Frank Hudson and daughter Miss Aileen have returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Otis Durgy in Chicago.

Warren Ryerson of Chicago arrived Friday, from a southern trip and joined his wife in a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Frazee.

Mrs. Harry Day returned Sunday from two weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Charles Russell Whiston in Chicago.

**Spooking Knights of Old.**

The Duluth Herald: One reason why knights of old wooed so ardently was because they didn't have so much co-operation.

# SECURE JURY IN MT. VERNON CASE

Mount Vernon, Ill., Dec. 8—A jury for the poison murder trial of Lawrence M. Hight, former Ina, Ill., clergyman, and Mrs. Elsie Sweetin, was completed at noon today. George Nelson, a farmer, was accepted as the 12th juror after lengthy questioning by both sides.

The court took under advisement a request by the defense that it be allowed to question one of the jurors before the jury should be sworn this afternoon.

## Illinois Commerce Commission Rulings

Springfield, Dec. 8 — Announcements by the Illinois Commerce Commission today were as follows:

Extending suspension of proposed rates of Illinois Bell Telephone company in Champaign, Urbana and Collinsville until June, 1925.

Authorizing Superior Motor Bus to buy all property of Belleville-Scott Field Motor Bus company.

Authorizing the Illinois Traction System to issue and sell $1,420,000 first and refunding mortgage six per cent gold bonds, to be sold at not less 91 per cent of face value.

## CONTINUE STOKES CONSPIRACY CASE

Chicago, Dec. 8—The trial of W. E. D. Stokes, New York millionaire, hotel man, Daniel Nugent, New York attorney and four other defendants charged with conspiracy to defame Mrs. Helen Elwood Stokes, was continued today until January 12. Judge Thomas Lynch is engaged in the trial of Russell Scott, Toronto, charged with murder and at least one of the defense attorneys also is engaged in another trial.

## WM. L. SACKETT HAS FAIR NIGHT

Chicago, Dec. 8—William L. Sackett, state superintendent of waterways, passed a fairly comfortable night although he was still in a serious condition at St. Luke's hospital. He suffered a heart attack a few days ago. His wife and son are remaining in Chicago.


# COLDS THAT DEVELOP INTO PNEUMONIA

Chronic coughs and persistent colds lead to serious lung trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a new medical discovery with twofold action; it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and kills the germ.

Of all known drugs, cresote is recognized by the medical fraternity as the greatest healing agency for the treatment of chronic coughs and colds and other forms of throat and lung troubles. Creomulsion contains in addition to creosote, other healing elements which soothe and heal the inflamed membranes and stop the irritation and inflammation, while the creosote goes on to the stomach, is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and destroys the germs that lead to consumption.

Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of chronic coughs and colds, bronchial asthma catarrhal bronchitis and other forms of throat and lung diseases, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or the flu. Money refunded if any cough or cold, no matter of how long standing, is not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist. Creomulsion Co., Atlanta, Ga.—(Adv.


# FIVE LOOT BANK IN MILWAUKEE

## Get $10,000—Bonds Worth $300,000.

Milwaukee, Dec. 8—Five robbers entered the Northwestern National bank here shortly after 10 a. m. today, held up the cashier and escaped with $10,000 in cash and bonds estimated at $300,000.

# FORBES' DEFENSE QUIZ MORTIMER

Chicago, Dec. 8—(AP)—The defense in the Veterans Bureau conspiracy trial of Charles R. Forbes and J. W. Thompson, started cross examination of E. H. Mortimer chief government witness.

Colonel James S. Easby-Smith started Mortimer's examination by asking him if he wished to make any corrections in his testimony. Mortimer said he did not.

Mortimer said the "H." his middle initial stood for Harvey and that early this year he had used the name of Harvey F. Schoeder to avoid agents of Colonel Forbes.

OCCUPIED WEEK.

Mortimer's story occupied the first week of the trial, in which the government introduced fifty corroboratory documents, letters, telegrams, contracts and finally a $15,000 note. This was identified by Mortimer as the one he gave the partnership of Thompson and Black. Mortimer declared he gave $5,000 of this to Forbes, the day the note was signed, June 20, 1922.

THE FIRST AWARD.

The first hospital contract was awarded July 23, 1922. It was for the Northampton hospital foundation, and went to the Pontiac Construction company of Detroit, a subsidiary of the James W. Black Masonry and Construction company of St. Louis. Black, Thompson's business associate, is now dead.

It is the contention of the defense that it was "physically impossible" for Mortimer to have handed Forbes $5,000 on the occasion specified.

## ISSUE PAPERS FOR PARIS EXTRADITION

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 8—Extradition papers were issued today for the return to Indianapolis of Fred Graham, and Albert Henderson, who are charged with stealing $97,000 bonds from Byron Landfield, Indianapolis. When arrested in Chicago they had 8,000 of the bonds, according to papers filed here.

## PROMINENT ELGIN BANKER IS DEAD

Elgin, Ill., Dec. 8—E. D. Waldron, seventy-six, wealthy Elgin bankers, president of the Home Trust and Savings bank and for many years prominent in northern Illinois banking circles, died at his home here yesterday.

## Will You Be Able To Eat Your Christmas Dinner In Peace?

Good, sound teeth are essential for health and digestion at all times. But at this season of the year, with its holiday dinners and feasting, your teeth should be in perfect condition. NOW is the time to have your work started. Have it all completed before the holidays arrive.

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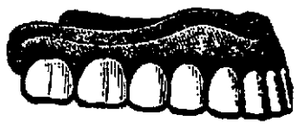
| Porcelain Crowns | $7.00 |
| Gold Crowns, up from | $6.00 |
| Bridgework, per tooth, up from | $6.00 |
| Amalgam Filling, up from | $1.50 |
| Extraction (by Nerve Block) | $1.00 |
| Teeth Cleaned | $2.00 |

TEETH  TEETH

Now is the time to have impressions taken for a new set of teeth. By holiday time eating will be a pleasure.

We do all of our own laboratory work and therefore can save you about one-third on this kind of service.

**$12.50, $15.00, $20.00 and up**
PER PLATE

Plate work completed in one day for out of town patients (except Saturday),

**$6** Per Tooth **Bridgework**
AND UP

Have your missing teeth replaced with a strictly up-to-date piece of bridge work. We will be able to complete your work of this nature before Christmas IF STARTED SOON.

# GRIGSBY DENTISTS

Over Bachrachs. Phone Main 2054
Where Honest Work Meets Moderate Price.



We Cash Christmas Checks

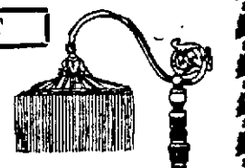
# DECATUR DRY GOODS CO
CORNER WATER AND NORTH STS

TUESDAY STARTS AN UNUSUAL THREE (3) DAY SALE OF

# Electrical Gift Suggestions

ON SALE IN BASEMENT

$12.50 BEAUTIFUL NEW BRIDGE LAMPS $9.95



The Ideal Gift for the Home, a beautiful Bridge Lamp. Good assortment of Silk Shades to choose from; fringed edge; silk flower trimmed; well made and strong. Stand 5 feet high. Complete with 7 foot cord, our price $9.95. —Basement

$4 BED LAMPS $2.39

Complete assortment of new novel Silk Shade Bed Lamps. Different colored silk shades with silk flower decorations. Complete with 6 foot card. To hang on back of bed. Our price $2.39. —Basement

To $5 Boudoir LAMPS $3.39

Fancy stand, about 12 inches high with Silk Colored Shades, different colors. Complete with cord. Our Price $3.39. —Basement

$7.50 Genuine "HOT POINT" IRONS OUR PRICE $5.95

Genuine "HOT POINT" Electric Irons, 6½ lb. One of the best irons made. Complete with cord, plug and stand. Our price $5.95. —Basement

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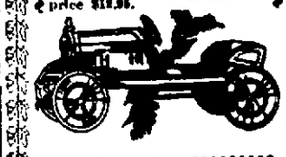

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### SAVED THE ICE MAN'S SOUL.

In the paper a day last week we read that fifty years ago ice dealers were beginning to worry, fearing they might not gather a natural crop. At that time they depended entirely on nature hereabouts to furnish ice, for it was all they knew how to do.

Nature often disappointed them, as it had been doing for thousands of years. This must have happened frequently, otherwise dealers would not have started to worry as early as the first of December. They got an ice crop when it was to be had, sometimes taking it mighty thin, for they understood the danger of any trifling with the situation.

It was felt that something had to be done to alleviate the ice man in his worriment. It had been thoroughly demonstrated that nature, as then understood, could not be depended on, so they sought some other means.

After much experimenting they discovered a way to boost nature's efforts in ice making. They set up some machinery, fussed around for a while with ammonia, and then they had another discovery, one that was due in the world thousands of years before.

Thereupon most of the worry was taken out of the life of the ice man; he could be sure of a crop, could gather it in summer as well as winter. It was the biggest thing that ever happened in his line, all to his good and welfare; and this explains why he is now the amiable man we find him.

Nature is wonderful when you help with a little boosting now and then.

### A MISDEMEANOR IN CHAMPAIGN.

As the story comes, Paul Lindsey in Champaign took part in holding up a filling station; in the course of the proceedings the keeper of the station was killed. At this distance it looked somewhat like a case that might result in a hanging.

A jury in Urbana got the case and then wrestled with it nine hours, after which the defendant's punishment was fixed at fourteen years in prison. It seemed to be getting off pretty light.

But there was large commotion in the court room as the jury filed in with its verdict. Some relatives of the defendant were present, and they began to scream and lament aloud just as the jurymen showed their faces.

They had affection for the prisoner, as maybe was natural. This might have caused rejoicing that he was let off as easily. Such would have been the reaction coming from relatives of many other people under the circumstances.

The story puzzles us somewhat. It may be that in the Champaign neighborhood there is a feeling that killing the keeper of a service station should be rated as a misdemeanor, pretty well up in that list but not in the crime category.

### SOMETHING WE HAVEN'T GOT.

It seems to be the fashion these days to send a reporter around to Clarence Darrow when it is desired to learn something more about crime and its causes. On this subject, in newspaper circles, Mr. Darrow is regarded as the leading authority among all.

They reported Mr. Darrow last Saturday as saying: "Ignorance is the basis and underlying cause of crime."

Something was said about the need of the schools giving "first lessons against crime," but Mr. Darrow added: "But our schools do nothing!"

One gathers from all this that the situation is very serious. There is need of a special brand of enlightenment to guard against crime, and we have no school able to teach it. Perhaps we are without a school that even as much as suspects the kind of enlightenment needed.

It is recalled of course that a short while since Mr. Darrow had two clients who were charged with a fiendish murder, that they were looked on as very bright boys who had had the advantage of about everything the schools have to offer, and still they were guilty almost beyond measure.

Doubtless since that time Mr. Darrow has been running over the case of these two boys in his active and fertile mind. It may be this that causes him to exclaim "the schools do nothing!"

Then it is up to some other agency to do something.

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Next they will put guard fences on Franklin hill, and then if stuck you will at least stay put until the rescue crew can get to you.

### PIECING OUT THE WEATHER.

During an hour of the forenoon Saturday last one could observe on Decatur's downtown streets some people who were going about in shirtsleeves while others had heavy overcoats. Of course also there were all the gradations between.

All the exhibits seemed to be at least reasonably comfortable. One would not care to say that the citizen in an overcoat was more so than the fellow in shirtsleeves. There was no indication that anybody was suffering; rather it seemed that each person was clothed in the way that appealed to his estimate of the day's rigors and balminess.

An observer watched this show for some time and then concluded that is the way we are built. They must have used many different sets of plans and specifications when they put us together, so that now there is need of large variety to keep all of us comfortable.

Even our Illinois weather can't furnish all the variety called for; but we can help it out by decking ourselves in shirtsleeves and all the way up to a heavy overcoat. All we can do is to leave it to each fellow to pick his own variation in habiliments to go along with the weather that is not to be depended on to meet more than part of the many demands.

It takes many kinds of us to make a December day here in Decatur. But we are all present.

### QUEER LINE OF TALK.

Editor Gardiner reports that Englishmen are getting exercised over our debt parleys with representatives of France. The Englishman seems to be fearful that we may settle with France on more favorable terms than were had in his case, and he argues this would place him at a disadvantage. Mr. Gardiner speaks of "being generous to France at England's expense."

In the language of the street, how do the English get that way? Suppose we should go the length of cutting the French debt in two, which we are not thinking of doing. It is hard to see how this would be "at England's expense."

It might be doing England a favor, and at our own expense. The less that France must pay us, the more able France will be to pay England. It happens that France owes as much or more to England, and we have learned lately that England is in earnest about collecting.

We could forgive all of France's debt to ourselves and then it would be in that much better shape to pay England. Thereupon England could use the money to pay us.

This is one time we can't understand the reasoning of Mr. Gardiner and of the English generally.

### SHY ON THE DETAILS.

Governor Len Small found himself in an auto smash near Pontiac on Friday last. Press reports of the incident failed to furnish as many particulars as we could have used to advantage.

We would like to know which car had the right of way at the time. In this way we could determine if the governor is properly observing our traffic rules and regulations.

Or it may be they don't have rules and regulations at that intersection. If we are without these, it is time to begin to think about getting some. Any of us may be along that stretch of road within a short while, and of course we don't wish to run wild and without orders.

If rules and regulations did apply, but the governor was not observing them, we wish to arrange to be notified when he gets out on the highway; then we can pull to one side until after he gets by.

If the driver of the other car was the guilty critter, we ask the governor what he intends to do to him.

### PRICE SEEMS HIGH.

In the east somewhere there is a fellow named Cuvier Grover Flint who plans to let himself out as a "slave" for $1,000 a year. This man boasts some distinguished ancestry, but it isn't much help to him.

This Flint spent $15,000 in a year, trusting to an aged aunt to save him in her will against the rainy day of next year. But the aunt left him out of the will. Now he is broke, and hence the plan to let himself out as a "slave."

But $1,000 a year seems too much money for his quality of talent. He ought to cut that in two about twice.

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Washington says something about $80,000,000 for roads, and we may be called on to pay all that money and then "match" it with as much more.

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Wabash people secured a refund of more than $2,000 on paving; and that's a system we would like to look into and understand.

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A fine day in December is all right and much to our liking, just as in all other months and in all parts except California.

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Our notion of minus something is to take on worry about the schooling that is still coming to Mrs. Charley Chaplin.

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Two workmen robbed of a week's pay by bandits, and this sounds as if the menace is getting pretty close to home.

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If the Rockne and Zuppke squads clash next year, it will help to double the capacity of the stadium at Urbana.

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Koretz is now 9463, but he thinks he is about as happy as when he was swindle king—and he ought to know.

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It takes $1.24 to collect $100 of income tax, and we guess they are smart enough to get all that in the bill.

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When snow and ice come these wood blocks will lay off their specialty of swelling up and exploding.

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Some people are just finishing their corn shucking, and some others will put this off until next March.

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Your share for the year is a peck of onions, but maybe friends will think you swallowed a bushel.

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We rise to inquire just how much these crossword puzzles have boosted the sale of dictionaries.

## From the People

**Fund for Stricken Mother.**

Decatur, Dec. 7.

Editor The Review:

I am writing you my opinion on the Mrs. Schikowski case.

I think this is one of the blackest marks against the city that could ever be, the city officials saying there isn't a law to make the city pay the poor Mrs. Schikowski any money. Must there be A LAW for a case of this kind? I don't think so. And any jury in the world would award her any amount of money she chose to sue for. But this dear lady doesn't want that. I feel myself that she should and must be cared for by the city until the family may see their way clear.

If every business man in the city would give one dollar, which they could easily afford and every working man about fifty cents, also working women and girls from ten cents to twenty-five cents, what a wonderful thing that would be for her. Why don't the stores and factories start funds for her instead of starting funds to buy their employes Christmas presents?

It could easily be done and done right, if some official would get behind and push it. Why don't they do it?

This is only my side of it and I am sure every 99 out of 100 in the city feel the same way about it.

I am going to start and collect this pay day at my work for her, and I am sure there is at least one in every factory, shop and store in Decatur that will do the same.

Hoping this will bring results to the grief-stricken mother, Mrs. Schikowski,

Yours truly,
A CITIZEN OF DECATUR.

**How's This for Service?**

Decatur, Dec. 7.

Editor Review:

A friend of mine had occasion to stay all night at the Jaques Hotel at Tolono, Ill.

The Jaques is one of the most serviceable hotels in Central Illinois and the proprietor takes great pains to give his guests every attention.

Before retiring my friend remarked during a general discussion of breakfast foods that he always ate a certain brand of bran for breakfast. The proprietor of the Jaques, overhearing the remark said: "We most always serve that particular bran, sir, but we are out and there's none in town."

My friend, appearing for breakfast at the usual time next morning found his own favorite bran being served and being delightfully surprised said to the affable proprietor, "Ah, I see you found some of our bran in town." "No, no," said the landlord. "After building the fires and helping to get breakfast started I just jumped into my Ford and ran over to Champaign and purchased this nice steak and I thought of your bran and got that also. You know the distance is only twelve miles and we now have concrete road all the way. In fact, you know Champaign is awake to the fact that a whole lot of hard roads is a very valuable asset. How are you folks over in Macon county getting along with your hard roads?" B. A. J.

## A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

**PEACE.**

"Thou shalt keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on Thee." Isaiah 26:3.

Peace! True peace! How the human heart yearns for peace! Yet no one knows what peace really is until he has found peace with God through the blood of Jesus Christ. Do Christians catch the meaning of the Benediction at the close of worship? —Rev. Roy G. Catlin, pastor First English Evangelical Lutheran church at Decatur.

## LAST OF 600 IS DEAD IN IOWA

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Dec. 8—Ellis H. Cutting, believed to have been the last survivor of the Light Brigade on its immortal charge at the battle of Balaklava during the Crimean war, died here Sunday after being stricken with a paralytic stroke, the second during the past month. He was 87 years old.

## THE RAZZ-BERRY BUSH

**Youthful Warriors.**

Those Friday mid-day meals given by the Women's Relief Corps at the G. A. R. hall are more than mere dinners. They are a function. Dinner is the correct word. It is no citified luncheon that the auxiliary of the veterans set forth, but a feast evidently calculated from memories of what was demanded by the boys in blue; or the more recent A. E. F., which stands for Always Eternally Famished, as all Red Cross workers know.

Grant and His Generals look down from their ancient framed lithograph on the diners, and two battle flags in a glass case enjoy a triumphant permanent wave. There is the canteen carried by Private R. Harkness of the Second Vermont Volunteer Infantry at Cedar Creek, and a few other relics that give a martial setting.

Out in the big room, two or three quilting sessions are taking place, with women busy plying the needle and enjoying the occasion as much as they ever did at Aunt Dinah's famous party. The only discordant detail is the use of safety razor blades to cut the threads—another contribution, by the way, to the important scientific research into possible uses of old blades.

Veterans are all there. Very few are bowed with their four score years. They stand erect, and bear proudly the little bronze button in their lapels that is their mark of service in keeping the union undivided. They talk in small groups, and pass some hearty quips. Is their conversation of Logan, Sheridan, Sherman, and Lincoln? Do they reminisce about Gettysburg, and Grant before Vicksburg?

It is not, and they do not. At least, not at the particular moment when we eavesdropped. They were talking about the merits of "The Sea Hawk" and wondering whether Notre Dame will beat Stanford. Our G. A. R. boys are right up to snuff. Here's to them!

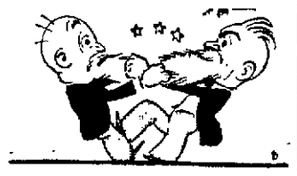
**To Much Realism.**

It is becoming more and more difficult to keep the faith. Here is a Chicago paper advertising in the want ad colums, in a most disillusioning way, for a **"SANTA CLAUS. Elderly man with natural white beard preferred. Hours, 9-5. No night work."**

It is reported that two applicants engaged ignominiously in a beard-pulling contest when one of them shouted "Beaver."

And a Review scribe noted Santa Claus in a barber shop last Saturday, getting a hair-cut. He wasn't shy about waiting in line with several girls reading "Vogue," either.

Our credulity is being taxed, but we'll keep Mealistic as long as we can.



**Sounds Like a Brick-bat for Someone.**

Dear Bush: D'jever wonder how expressions started? I think it would be as highly intellectual and entertaining as a cross-word puzzle to have a department for the explanation of expressions (if you can get enough explanations). Here's a starter: Expression "He's a Brick." Started when it was the custom to have huge walls around cities for protection. It so happened that Sparta had no such wall. A visitor asked the king why there was no wall around the city, and the ruler replied, pointing to his armed guards "There's my wall—every man's a brick." The case of Fred Young at Bloomington being called "Brick" is however, not derived from this nor from any color of his hair (which was dark). His last name reminded early companions of a certain man in Salt Lake City. (Oh I'm just full of statistics!)

PSEUDO PODIA, J. M. U. '26.

**Laudable Move.**

Another indication that Christmas will be happier than ever this year is the refreshing absence of seasonal jokes about gift ties, cigars, and the bills that Dad has to pay. The Bush will give all assistance to the reform.

**Tricky.**

**Charlie Stough, the versatile Town Clerk and Legion adjutant, is too slick for the police now. As one of the first victims of the harvest of fines for not stopping at boulevards, he has had his cancelled check for $6.15 neatly framed and placed before the driving seat of his Ford balloon-tired limousine. He recommends it as a sure help to seeing the stop signs.**

Rabbit chasers of the American Legion contributed several local similes to the Bush list, among them:

"Thick as mud in December."

"As hard to see as rabbits in a corn field."

"A beautiful dream, like shooting a pheasant."

J.V.

## PUBLIC TO VIEW MORGAN LIBRARY

New York, Dec. 8—(AP)—The choicest of the Pierpont Morgan library, original manuscripts and drawings by British authors, will be offered for public view in the New York Public Library Monday.

## TWO MISSIONARIES ESCAPE BANDITS

Hankow, China, Dec. 8—(AP)—Miss Elizabeth Berglund and Miss Insborg Nystul, missionaries of the Augustana Synod, who remained at their station at Juchow, Honan province, when bandits raided the place recently, have escaped and are with friends at Kiuhsien. Both missionaries are from Minnesota.

## FEW COOKS STIR SENATE'S BROTH

### Leaders Run Things in Upper House.

BY ROBERT T. SMALL.

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Washington, Dec. 8.—The United States senate, like every other big "corporation" is run by a comparatively few of its members. On the republican side the number of "directors" has been reduced materially by death in recent years, until only a big four remain—Curtis, of Kansas; Borah, of Idaho; Smoot, of Utah, and Warren of Wyoming.

Of course there are a lot of valuable and important "assistants" scattered through the membership—men like Wadsworth, of New York; Watson, of Indiana; Jones, of Washington, and so on—but the big work is done by the big four.

FROM THE WEST.

It will be noted, of course, that all four members of the super-quartet hail from west of the Mississippi river. The poor farmer no longer can say that the manufacturers of the New England run the United States.

And yet New England is not obliterated from the national picture by any means. It has so happened that just as her star of empire in the senate was setting a president was elected—the first in four or five generations—a president born in Vermont and introduced to politics in Massachusetts.

## Little Benny's Notebook

There was 4 late for skool in our class this morning, being me and Puds Simkins and Leroy Shooster and Raymin Levy, all wawking in together for company and Miss Kitty saying, Well, this is a pritty site, this is, the bewtifill record of the class utterly ruined. I reely dont know wat to think. Im serprized, Im greeved. The 4 boys who have jest come in will kindly pass before my desk and present their lxcuses, if eny.

Wich we started to do, wawking up to her desk feeling scared and trying not to giggel at the same time, Leroy Shooster saying, I overslept myself this morning and I dident know it till I woke up.

How pitifill, Miss Kitty sed.

I dident know wat time it was and I forgot to look at the clock so I dident find out, Puds Simkins sed.

Deer deer, my hart akes for you, Miss Kitty sed.

I looked at the clock but the clock was rong, and I thawt it was rite, but it was rong, Raymin levy sed.

A poor lxcuse is sed to be better than none, but those old moth eaten lxcuses are werse than eny, you 3 boys will remain a half hour after skool. Well Benny, you are still to be herd from, Miss Kitty sed.

Meening wat was my lxcuse, and I sed, I helped my mother.

Good, I always have respeck for a boy that helps his mother, the boy who helps his mother will grow up to help mankind in genrel, in other werds he will be a good and usefill citizen. Miss Kitty sed. Tell the class how you helped your mother, Benny, she sed.

She fixed a big tare in my pants and I dident wunt to strain the stitches so I wawked to skool extr slow and the ferst thing I knew I was late, I sed.

You will stay a half hour after skool for being late and an exter half hour for taking advantage of a noble sentiment, Miss Kitty sed.

Wich I did, making a hour altogether. LEE PAPE.

## CANDLES FROWNED ON FOR HOLIDAYS

Springfield, Dec. 8—Candle-lighted Christmas trees will not be sanctioned under any circumstances this year, State Fire Marshal John G. Gamber has announced.

Particularly, the state fire department will withhold approval from lighted candles on a tree at a public gathering or at school or church programs, for the reason that a fire might result in panic and loss of life. The department's attitude toward use of candles on trees in private homes is conveyed in an appeal to the sense of security on the part of parents.

"The same advice," Mr. Gamber said, "goes for lighted candles in windows. They are too likely to ignite curtains or other inflammable material."

Four fires occurred last year in Illinois due to Christmas trees, records at the fire marshal's office show. Three of them were caused by lighted candles and the fourth by a short circuit in an electrical illuminating outfit.

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## Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest.

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CONSOLATION.

One of them muttered that life is bleak,
A round of pain for the worn and weak,
With nothing certain which fingers clutch,
Save loss to take what you value much;
And pain and misery shrieked anew
And nodded their heads that his words were true.

Another one said that the dead were saved
The hurt and care which the living braved,
The living suffer, the living ache,
At night in terror the living wake!
And death looked on with a leering eye
Confirming his words: "It is best to die."

"Oh, woman! Oh, woman! Not long, not long,
The pain shall stay if your faith be strong!"
Said another voice: "There is much for you,
There is many a task for your hands to do,
There are those who need what your love can give,"
And life smiled back: "It is good to live."

Still she wept when the first passed on,
Louder she wailed when the next had gone,
But she said as the third one turned to go:
"I am glad you came, you have helped me so'
I can keep my faith, I can braver be,
For the sake of the ones who are needing me."

## ELECTED BEFORE A BALLOT IS CAST

Chicago, Dec. 8—Nominees on the official ballot for the annual election of the Illinois Manufacturers' association, which ends today, all stand an excellent chance for election. They are without opposition.

Charles Piez of Chicago, is the unopposed candidate for president; E. L. Mansure, Chicago, candidate for first vice-president; Laurance H. Armour, candidate for second vice-president; Peter S. Theurer, candidate for treasurer.

Four of the eight candidates for director are from downstate. They are Paul F. Beich, Bloomington; J. L. Donnelly, East Alton; S. S. Eagle, Madison, and E. E. Baker, Kewanee. The others, all of Chicago, are S. L. Avery, O. F. Schultz, J. D. Cunningham, and E. C. Westman.

# The Story of Decatur

## 50 YEARS AGO TODAY

(As Told by The Daily Republican.)

The last session of the forty second congress convened to-day.

Freight business on the railroads entering this city still continues lively, and the switch engines are kept busy night and day.

The price of eggs and butter has popped up to a high figure during the last week.

A quantity of clothing and some money has been sent from this city to the Kansas sufferers.

J. B. Ehrhart, the painter, has commenced work at frescoing the walls and ceilings of the new United Brethren church.

A new boiler, which has just been manufactured by the central boiler works in this city, has been put up and is now in use at the city gas works.

T. J. V. Owen, who lately moved to this place, purchased a half interest in Gardiner's drug store.

## THIRTY YEARS AGO

(As told by The Daily Review.)

The firm of Catto and Jones was dissolved and Dr Jones went into partnership with Dr. W. J. Chenoweth.

A report was prepared at the Decatur high school showing the enrollment in the city schools to be 3,318.

## TWENTY YEARS AGO

(As Told by The Daily Review)

Sixteen men in the finishing department of the chair factory struck for an increase in wages. They were getting $1.25 a day and asked for $1.40.

Georgia Allison, Susanne Imboden, Leda Mueller and Nita Brown were elected officers in the girls' department of the D. H. S. Athletic association.

The 140-acre farm of W. S. Ennis near Hammond, yielded only fifty bushel of corn to the acre while the year before, it averaged seventy-three bushels.

Mrs. W. C. Armstrong have a 1 o'clock luncheon in the home of Mrs. Holmes at Harristown.

Tom McDonald, an insane miner, who had walked into the home of Theron Powers and was locked up in jail, was placed in a padded cell, which he immediately tore up.

## TEN YEARS AGO

(As Told by The Daily Review.)

Members of the Gastman School Mothers' club, tired of delay in securing more playground for that school, asked the board of education for immediate action. The school had no ground west of the building.

The board of supervisors announced that no new county jail was to be built. The old jail was overcrowded with bootleggers.

It cost Macon county $5,254.35 to feed the prisoners in the last six months.

J. L. Pickering of Springfield, internal revenue collector, spoke to 250 Decatur business men on the new war taxes.

## DOROTHY HILLMAN HOME WITH MOTHER

New York, Dec. 8—Dorothy Martin Hillman, who secluded herself here last week after fleeing from her millionaire husband, Edward Hillman, Jr., of Chicago is on her way home with her mother.

Prosperity and Gasoline

GENUINE prosperity is with us when all men are employed creating new wealth—new merchandise—which is passed to the consuming public at prices which give them full value for the money spent.

New wealth is active wealth and active wealth, like active labor, is that which is employed making the world a better, happier place in which to live.

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## AGED EFFINGHAM WOMAN DIES ALONE

**Neighbors Discover Mrs. Pendlay on Bedroom Floor.**

Effingham, Dec 8—Mrs. Hattie Pendlay, an old and respected citizen of this city, was found dead on the floor of her bedroom Sunday morning about 8 o clock, by neighbors.

Mrs Pendlay was a cripple and had been in ill health for some time. It had been the custom of some of the neighbors to go over to Mrs. Pendlay s house in the morning to see how she was

Sunday morning, there seemed to be no one around her house and Mrs Mary Stevenson, with some others went over and when there was no response to their knocking they broke in the door and found her dead on the floor of her bedroom. Apparently she had been about to retire and had fallen on the floor Saturday evening, dying sometime Saturday evening

Mrs Pendlay was seventy years old and had been a resident of this city for some thirty years Her husband, the late Ira Pendlay died some years ago She was the youngest of seventeen children and was born in Indiana She leaves no near relatives There are several nieces and nephews in Chicago and Washington, Ind.

Mrs Pendlay was respected and loved by all who knew her while not being able to take an active part in the social affairs the last few years she was always interested in what others did She was a member of the Woman s Relief Corps, Royal Neighbors and other orders

WOMEN JURY

Coroner Henry Wachtel held an inquest Sunday afternoon at 2 30 o clock with Adolph Retulinger as foreman of the jury and the members composed of Mrs George Bauer, Matt Faber Ivar Knowles Misses Wilson and Francis Althoff the first woman jury ever held in Effingham county The verdict was death from natural causes

Funeral arrangements will not be made until some of the relatives in Chicago and Washington, Ind, are heard from

SPELLING CHAMP

Miss Thelma Lathrop, aged twelve years won the county spelling contest held at the city hall in this city Saturday and will represent Effingham county in the state spelling contest to be held in Springfield Dec 20 Miss Lathrop spelled 500 words without missing and without a rest period She is from the Dexter school

Martin Garbe aged eleven years, and from the Standard school Dieterich spelled 460 words and if Miss Lathrop is unable to go to Springfield he will go in her place, having won second place

## NOKOMIS M. W. A. ELECTS OFFICERS

Nokomis Dec 8—At a regular meeting of the Redwood Camp No 273 Modern Woodmen of America held at the woodmen hall in this city Friday evening the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year H. F Schmidt, venerable consul F P Fahnestock, advisor Frank Yackle, clerk, L A Pripss banker, Edward Briegel watchman Thomas H Woolston sentry, P O Evans and V C Singer, trustees Ernest Buell past consul

A leading event of the coming week will be a luncheon which is to be served by the Ladies' Auxiliary of Nokomis to their entire membership on Wednesday evening Dec 10, at the headquarters of the American Legion Post

Wednesday afternoon the Nokomis Woman s Club will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs J Earl Temple Quite an elaborate program of music readings etc has been arranged for the afternoon's entertainment

## PRESBYTERIANS TO OPEN CONFERENCE

Chicago, Dec 8— The national inspirational conference of the Presbyterian church will open here tomorrow. Seven hundred delegates and several hundred visitors are expected

Three sessions will be held daily. The conference will close Friday. The general council of the church will be in session in the same period

William J Bryan, vice moderator of the general assembly will be active in the conference Dr William C Covert of Philadelphia will preside.

Night sessions will be devoted to reports of the four boards of the church.


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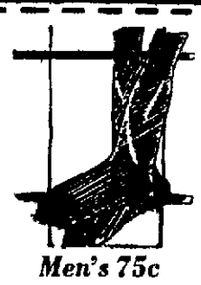
—LINGERIE CLOTH, 36-in. checks and jersey weaves, pink, blue, lavender, peach, yd. ..... **50c**
—36-INCH DIMITY CHECKS and stripes, in pink, lavender and yellow for dresses and pretty gift underwear. A yard .. **39c**



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*Bottled Perfumes*
—Dreamerie, $1.25.
—Lily of Valley, 89c.
—Crab Apple for $1.
—Jockey Club, Lily of Valley, Lilac, for 75c.
—Carnation, Violet, Lily of Valley, White Rose, Narcissus, Three Flowers, $1.
Other Perfumes At 25c, 39c, 50c Bottle

Fine Toilet Waters In Gift Bottles, $1.
—This gives you choice of Gardenia, Rose of Omar, White Lilac Japanese Incense, Lily of Valley Rose and Violet. All of high grade manufacture.

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—SILK STEP-INS are of very fine radium at $2.95 and $3.95.
—SILK CHEMISE of crepe de chine and radium at $3.95, $4.95, $6.95.
—TRICOLETTE BLOOMERS, dark, $2.25—$3.95.
—SILK PETTIBOCKERS, $3.95—$5.95.
—PETTIBOCKERS of lingette, at $1.95.
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*For Men, Women, Childr'n*

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—CHILDREN'S ROBES, are of thick warm robe cloths, 2 to 6 years, $1.50.
—CHILDREN'S ROBES of Beacon cloth, in 7 to 14 year sizes, $2.95 to $3.95.

*Ribbons Made Into Gifts*

—Ribbon garters, all colors, hand-made 89c-$1.39.
—Powder puff, ribbon and lace trimmed, 79c each.
—Lingerie sets, 3 pieces, many colors, 69c to 89c.
—Marcel caps, overnite, all colors, at $1.59.
—Hair ornaments and head bands, gold and silver, $1.59 and $1.95.
—Boutonieres, in dainty gift boxes, 49c and 69c.
—Flapper head bands, in all colors, 35c each.
—Wrapping ribbon, plain colors, gold and silver, 18-yd. spool, 25c, 6-yd. 10c.

***Exquisite Boudoir Caps 50c***
—Lovely all-silk caps with lace trimmings, in many charming color combinations, at 50c

*Today and Tuesday, A Sale of*
**Sale of Gift Slippers**

**79c**
—Women's pretty felt slippers in lavender, old rose, and grey, Well made, with padded leather soles. Real $1 values, 79c pair.

**Fine Juliet Slippers $1.45**
—Women's leather soled Juliet house slippers, ribbon and fur trimmed; rose, light blue, American Beauty, wine and blue, $1.45 a pair.

**45c Fancy Cretonne 29c**
—36-in. cretonnes for drapes and gift fancies; lovely patterns, yard **29c**

**75c Fancy Cretonne 59c**
—High grade, heavy cretonnes, exquisitely patterned, on sale, a yard.. **59c**

**$1.50 Ruffle Curtains, $1**
—Lovely ruffled scrim curtains with tie-backs, $1.50 values, a pair . **$1**

**$1.50 Rag Rugs At $1**
—Heavy 27x54-in. rag rugs, imported from Japan, $1.50.. values, each ... **$1**

**Axminster Rugs, $2.95**
—27x54-inch Axminster rugs, in choice patterns, $4 retailers, at .. each .... **$2.95**

**Leather Purses $2.95**
—20 styles of women's fine leather, top and back strap purses at each .. .. **$2.95**

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—All-silk umbrellas for women, all colors, amber ends, fancy handles, at .... .. **$5.95**

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—Women's fine Hy Art silk petticoats, step-in types, in all colors, at ..... **$3.95**

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—20-inch mercerized figured huck, at a yd. 35c
—15 and 18-in. pure linen figured huck, yd. 69c

*Colored Linens Of Many Kinds:*
—18-inch all linen crash in four colors, yd. 59c
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—18-inch all linen art crash, ecru, 75c, 50c, 35c
—20-inch all linen art crash, ecru, 75c, 59c, 50c
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—45-inch all linen art crash, ecru. At a yard $1

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—24-in. pure linen, round thread, at a yard $1
—36-in. Madera Linen, pure flax, $1.75 to $1.25
—45-in. round thread pure linen, yd. $1.50, $1
—54-in. round thread pure linen, a yard, $1.95
—90-in. pure linen sheeting, yard, $2.95, $2.50
—36-in. Italian linen, round thread, yard, $1

*Pure Linen Hemstitched Table Sets:*
—57x57-in cloth & 6 napkins matched set $4.95
—57x71-in cloth & 6 napkins matched set $5.95
—68x68-in cloth and 6 napkins matched set $10
—68x84-in cloth & 6 napkins matched set $12.50
—72x84-in cloth & 6 napkins matched set $16.50
—72x90-in cloth & 6 napkins matched set $22.50
—60x60-in. hemstitched cloth & 6 napkins $3.50
—54x54-in hemstitched cloth &.6 napkins $4.95
—50x50-in Waffle cloth and 6 napkins, set $3.95
—55x70-in hemstitched cloth and 6 napkins $5.95
—54x54-in pure linen lunch cloths, choice $2.95
—14x14 hemstitched linen damask napkins $4.50
—36x36 hemstitched pure linen lunch cloths 1.95

*Fancy Turkish Towels To Give:*
—18x36 fancy colored Turkish towels, each 25c
—20x38 fancy colored Turkish towels, each 50c
—22x45 fancy colored Turkish towels, each 75c
—Turkish weave bath mats priced at $1 to $3.95
—22x45 Bulgarian Turkish towels, go at each $1
—Turkish wash cloths, many styles, 5c to 25c ea
—3-piece Turkish towel sets, boxed, 85c to $1.95

*Beautiful New White Goods:*
—27-inch sheer plaid dimities, 25c, 35c and 39c
—36-inch sheer plaid dimities, 39c, 50c and 59c
—30-inch sheer dotted Swisses; imported, yd. $1
—40-inch sheer, ½-in. plaid Batiste, yard 50c
—Plain white Luna Lawn; very sheer; at yd. 39c
—70-in. plain satin damask pure linen, yd. $3.95

*There're Many Happy Gift Suggestions In This*

**Sale of Silks and Woolens**

**$1.25 Silk Radium, 90c**
—36-in, radium silk in 10 light and dark shades, for making of Princess slips, a yard ..... **90c**

**Brocaded Silks, $5.95**
—The brocaded cut-chenille effect on Georgette, for dresses and blouses; $7.50 value, a yard **$5.95**

**Silk & Wool Crepe, $2.50**
—40-in. silk and wool printed Canton in ten combinations for dresses, blouses, a yard ... **$2.50**

**Crepe De Chine, $2 Yd.**
—Pure dye, 40-in. all-silk crepe de chine, in twelve solid shades, at a yard ..... **$2**

**Silk Broadcloth, $1.95**
—36-inch silk broadcloth shirting in colored woven stripes and checks, at a yard ..... **$1.95**

**54-In. Flannels, $3.95**
—All-wool flannels in narrow colored stripes. Tan, grey, henna, blue grounds; yard ..... **$3.95**

**56-in. Flannels, $3.50**
—Fine all-wool flannels in 5 solid shades for dresses; an exceptional value, yard . ... **$3.50**

**Plaid Flannels, $4.95**
—54-in. all-wool and silk and wool plaid flannels, tan, brown, navy and grey; a yard .... **$4.95**

**All-Wool Crepes, $1.95**
—40-inch all-wool crepes, tan, navy, black, rust and nut brown, for dresses. A yard ..... **$1.95**

**36-Inch Crepe, $1 Yard**
—A wool finished crepe in navy, grey, red, brown with hairline checks and stripes, a yard ..... **$1**

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—$7.50, 66x80 Nashua blankets, bound, plaids, boxed, each $5.95
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—$4.50 bed comforters, silkaline covered, large size, $2.95.
—$6 Nashua Supreme blankets in handsome plaids, 66x80, pair $4.50
—$6.50 wool mixed blankets, in grey, neat border, 70x80, pr $4.95
—Beacon Bathrobe Blankets with cords, tassels, frogs, for $5.

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*The Third Floor Is Now Transformed Into A Store For Inexpensive Gifts*

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—Nickeled ash trays, colored glass lining, special at 75c.
—Dutch Kraft ash tray, wood base, glass lined, for 75c.
—Smokers' stand, mahogany finished, $1.50 values for $1.
—Dutch Kraft book-ends, $2 values, special $1.59 a pair
—Silver bon bon trays, in pretty designs, at $3.50 ea.
—Mahogany serving trays in 11½x17½-inch. $1 each.
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**$3.50 Mama Dolls $2.95**
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—Bridge lamp to match above juniors, special $14.75
—63-in. floor lamp with distinctive silk shades, $27.50.
—$18 vase table lamps with shirred silk shade, $12.95.
—Boudoir lamp, with metalic base and glass shade, $3.95.
—Bissells miniature sweepers, for children, 59c to $1.50
—Ducks & rabbits on wheels for little folks, at 59c each.
—$1 percolators, of paneled aluminum, 9-cup size, at 89c.
—$1.50 teakettles of heavy aluminum, 5-qt. size, at 89c
—$1 dressed dolls, with movable eyes, on sale at 50c ea.

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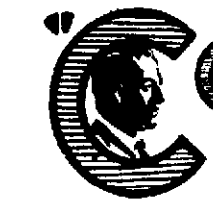

# "CORRIGAN"

by EDMUND SNELL

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## V—THE BLUE MONKEY

**BEGIN HERE TODAY.**

**Corrigan** is the proprietor of the Urang-Futeh estate in Borneo. Millett, **newly** arrived from Singapore, is **his** third assistant. Awakened early one morning by the mysterious barking of their yellow dog Panus, Corrigan and Millett go into the sitting room of Corrigan's bungalow for a chat. A magnificent blue monkey leaps into the room and they make it captive.

**Later** Corrigan learns that a sacred **blue** monkey has been stolen from the temple of a native religious cult and that thousands of the [illegible] **are** seeking vengeance on the **thief**. Coming back to his bungalow, he finds Panus outside with caked [illegible] and bloody **paws**. In the house he first sees the remains of the blue monkey. Millett's room is [illegible] and Millett's bed is empty. The cook boy lies prone on the **floor**, his throat cut from ear to ear. **Just** then [illegible] has been **exhausted**. Corrigan follows the dog Panus into the jungle trail.

**NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.**

[illegible] the dog Panus—the hound of [illegible] have **found** a second wind. In the depths of the virgin [illegible] that the [illegible] had been left behind, the Englishman could discover no trace of the **native** raiders who had spirited **his** assistant from his bungalow. [illegible] the yellow dog clung to their scent with dogged persistence. Times without number [illegible] stretches of almost [illegible] undergrowth, **serious** doubt [illegible] Corrigan's mind as to the [illegible] of the route [illegible] was leading him—[illegible] indisputable proofs in the soft earth of a clearing, of a recognized [illegible] the marshy ground [illegible] stream.

He paused for breath, resting one hand **on a** forest giant and saw the **dial** of his wrist watch that dawn [illegible] only a [illegible] of minutes away. [illegible] **seen** at [illegible] Panus raced **along** [illegible] had been following [illegible] his trousers in his [illegible] till the man [illegible] looked down [illegible] great height [illegible]

[illegible]

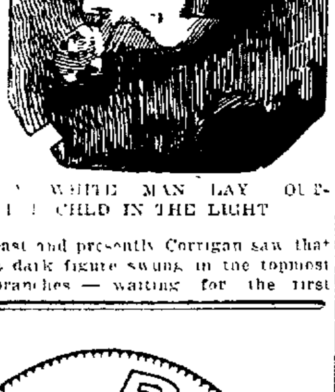
[illegible] **pawed** [illegible] in the air [illegible] **k**. Corrigan [illegible] himself for [illegible] and staggered after it.

A hundred yards—and he halted [illegible] thought he had caught **a sound** borne on the breeze—the [illegible] **of guttural** voices rising above the incessant [illegible] of jungle [illegible] dog [illegible] through the [illegible] **of** [illegible] and advanced with **caution** in the direction from which the **sound** had come. The creature **strained** like a greyhound at the leash and Corrigan shifted his grip on to the broad band of the collar [illegible] **elf**.

He listened again. Somewhere very close at hand, men were talking in the discordant Dusun dialect he partly understood. Like an inspiration it flashed upon him that the extra sense in which he placed his faith had not failed him, he realized, too that the night was slipping away and the hour of dawn was almost come.

Clinging to two trees that rose with amazing straightness like pillars fashioned in stone he gazed before him into an open space, a natural temple encircled by trunks from which the lower branches had been cut away. A score of half-nude brown-skinned natives lay prone before a stone altar, long and narrow, shaped like an Egyptian sarcophagus. At either end rose a jagged monolith in which a worn metal ring was imbedded. The ring at the right hand end of the altar held only a dozen links of rusted chain, but to the opposite stone was tethered an enormous blue monkey, a replica of the creature for whom his assistant had caused a house to be made.

A white man, bare to the waist lay outstretched in the light of a torch of which the resinous fumes rose to the heavens. His hands were secured beneath him, Corrigan could see the leathern thongs that gripped his feet. The planter's heart stood still. His free hand closed over the handle of his automatic. A native in a conical hat of plaited rotan held a knife, the point of which rested on Millett's flesh—just over his heart, he appeared to be gazing toward the



A WHITE MAN LAY OUTSTRETCHED IN THE LIGHT

east and presently Corrigan saw that a dark figure swung in the topmost branches — waiting for the first bright streak to give the signal to the man below. ...

Corrigan's strength was returning to him in great waves. A mist rolled from his brain. He leveled his weapon carefully.

The atmosphere was fraught with a sense of hideous expectancy. The blue monkey strained at the chain which held him from tearing at the intended sacrifice.

Suddenly, as the figure in the treetops stiffened as the forms of the worshipers rose to their knees, throwing their arms toward the heavens—the dog Panus broke from Corrigan's grip and shot like an arrow across the clearing. Corrigan stood aghast, his heart thumping against his ribs, while the yellow dog flew straight for the sacred monkey.

A guttural cry rang out above the inarticulate gibbering of the frenzied worshipers. It was the warning from the lookout in the treetops that the hour of sacrifice had come.

And, at that moment, Panus— the hound of a nameless fusion of races—closed its teeth over the throat of the sole remaining symbol of one of the vast orient's myraid religions. The knife descended — not into the heart of the prostrate Millett —but into the back of the yellow dog! And Corrigan—that giant among men—slipped his automatic back into the side pocket of his coat, crossed the natural temple in a dozen strides, and turned to face a mob of murderous, dark-skinned assassins, armed to the teeth. He stood on the far side of the stone altar—and Millett stared up at him in mute astonishment.

The man with the knife swaggered up to him—and retreated before the look in those steely eyes.

With deliberate movements the planter opened a pocketknife and set his assistant free, then he mustered up all the vocabulary he could remember of the Dusun dialect.

"The hour for sacrifice has passed," he cried in a ringing voice, the tone of which carried weight. The gods have been good. The innocent'— he pointed to Millett — 'have been saved from unjust punishment. The guilty" — he indicated the dog— have been punished! The hour is passed; the sacrifice is accomplished; the gods are satisfied......"

He paused, his keen eye alert for the first sign of hostile movement, but none came.

I come from the great white king who lives beyond the dark waters. Listen to the message I bring from him. I am angry that these people have slain the servant of one of my sons but, because they have acted in error, not knowing what they did, I will forgive them—and before another moon has passed, I will send them more blue monkeys .. ..'

There was a murmuring among the swarthy ruffians and Corrigan, whose ear was attuned to native murmurings, seized upon this moment for a strategic retreat.

"It is well," he continued, turning to where Millett sat chafing his ankles with both hands. "I go to join my soldiers who are awaiting my signal. Presently I shall return for your answer."

He thrust one arm through that of his assistant —and strode majestically through the gaping throng into the virgin forest.

For reasons best known to himself, Corrigan did not return for a reply. He ran, by an accident that was nothing less than providential, into a posse of Pennington's men who had been sent post haste to preserve law and order in that district, where rumors were afloat of smouldering rebellion. An orderly accompanied him to the D. O. himself, who was suffering acutely from jungle-sores and the too friendly attentions of thirsty mosquitoes.

"Just off to settle that affair I told you about," said the D. O. between scratches.

"Ah!" commented Corrigan cheerfully. "I'm sorry to poke my nose into these state affairs, but I'm afraid I've settled the whole business for you. It was quite a bloodless victory, I can assure you."

Pennington looked relieved. Corrigan had a reputation in those parts.

"Then there's nothing left for me to do?"

The planter beamed and rested a heavy hand on the harassed official's back.

"Nothing whatever, old son," he said, "except to procure a couple of blue monkeys—and present them to the gentlemen concerned—with all due pomp and ceremony."

Pennington gulped.

"Where the hell d'you suppose I'm going to find blue monkeys?" he bellowed.

"I'm afraid I must leave that to you," said Corrigan seriously. "I've lost a damn good dog over this business already."

(In Our Next Issue: "AT THE HOUSE OF THE SEVEN STARS.")

# "The Loves of Eunice and Claude"—No. 1

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### *Luggage*

—Men's "Belber" traveling bags of genuine black cowhide, with leather linings and sewed leather corners, are priced $15 each.

—Men's triple-pocket traveling bags of walrus, with leather linings and handles are priced $25 to $35.

—Men's "Likly" traveling bags of real leather, with sewed leather corners and leather linings, are $27.50.

—Men's "Gladstone" bags of real leather, with convenient inside partitions, are priced $15 to $35 each.

FIRST FLOOR

### *Toilet Sets*

—Toilet sets with black leather cases, fitted with ebony handled toilet articles, are fitted with varied necessities. Priced, according to fittings, at $6.50 to $13.50 a set.

—Men's military brush sets, with two brushes in gift boxes, are priced $3.75, $4.50 and $7.50.

FIRST FLOOR

### *Bathrobes*

—Men's bathrobes of Terry cloth are robes as suitable for the beach as the bathroom, and they will not leave lint on clothes. In a number of patterns and color combinations, at prices from $8.50 to $12.50.

SECOND FLOOR

### *Cuff Links*

—Here there are links of enamel, gold-plated links, and links of sterling, in many shapes and sizes.

—Convenient 'Kum-a-Part' cuff links, most convenient and most popular, are priced 50c to $2 a pair.

FIRST FLOOR

### *Eversharps*

—Eversharp pencils, gold-plated or of sterling silver, with pocket clips, are here at $1 to $3.50 each.

—Eversharp writing sets, with a Wahl pen and an Eversharp pencil in a fancy gift box, are priced $10 and $12.

FIRST FLOOR

### *Neckties*

—We have hundreds of new ones, at prices ranging from 75c to $2 each.

FIRST FLOOR

### *Handkerchiefs*

—Men's English "Lissue" handkerchiefs, white with colored borders, are priced 59c each.

—Men's silk handkerchiefs with colored borders and cross bar threads, 50c.

—Men's handkerchiefs of sheer white linen, with colored borders, 50c each.

—Men's double-monogram handkerchiefs of white linen are just 50c each.

—Men's full size initial handkerchiefs of white linen, 25c, 50c and 75c.

—Men's full dress handkerchiefs of fine linen, with roll hems, $1 each.

FIRST FLOOR

### *Silk Hose*

—Men's fancy ribbed, silk clocked, "Black Cat" hose in black and brown, $1.

—Men's "Gordon" silk hose of finest quality pure silk, with double soles, heels and toes, $1 a pair. In black, cordovan, navy, Russian calf, steel grey and suede.

—Men's "Gordon" fiber hose with double soles, heels and toes, 50c a pair. In black, cordovan, grey, suede and navy blue.

FIRST FLOOR

### *Belt Sets*

—These special gift outfits which include a belt and buckle are packed in attractive gift boxes. They are genuine Hickok gift sets. In two styles, at $1 and $2.

—The belts, separately are 50c and $1 each. Buckles, separately, 50c and $1 each. The buckles are silver plate and intitialed.

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FIRST FLOOR

### *Stationery*

—"Picadilly" grey pound paper, suitable for men, is 50c a package. Duplex size envelopes to match are in packets of 25, for 25c.

—"Ripple Grain" all linen paper for men, with deckle edge envelopes to match, are in boxes which contain 24 of each. Priced $1 a box.

—Conklin self-filling fountain pens, known everywhere for their fine quality, are here in variety. There are many sizes and styles, at prices ranging from $2.50 to $7.50 each.

FIRST FLOOR

### *Slippers*

—Men's comfort slippers of tan kid, in opera and Everett styles, with leather linings, leather heels and leather soles. $4 a pair.

—Men's felt slippers with padded soles and carved velvet collars are in paisley, grey and navy. $2.25.

—Men's slippers of heavy wool felt, with padded soles, are in oxford, paisley, maroon, grey and navy. $2.

—Men's grey and black felt slippers with leather soles are $1.75 a pair.

SECOND FLOOR

### *Umbrellas*

—Men's "Tuckaway" umbrellas with cane handles, fold into a small case that fits into bag or suit case. $5 and $6.50.

—Men's rain-proof umbrellas of silk and linen, with plain and carved cane handles, are just $3.75 each.

FIRST FLOOR

### *Smokers*

—Smoker's pedestals with mahogany finished bases and glass ash trays and cigar rests are $1.45 each.

—Smoker's pedestals with mahogany bases and nickel trimmings are $3.50.

—Smoker's tables with nickel fittings and cigarette boxes, $12.50 each.

—Smoker's cabinets of walnut, with nickel fittings, glass tobacco jars and humidor compartments, $22.50.

FIFTH FLOOR

### *Poker Sets*

—Poker sets, with a portable chip rack, 200 chips, and two decks of cards, are priced $13.50 each.

—Poker sets with a portable chip rack, 160 chips, and two decks of cards, are priced $11 each.

—Playing cards are priced 50c to $1.35 a deck.

FOURTH FLOOR

### *Watch Chains*

—Gold plated watch chains of fine quality are here in many pretty styles. Green white and yellow gold. They are $1 to $2 each.

—Watch chain and knife sets, with knives in many styles and sizes, are priced $1.75 to $5 a set.

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FOURTH FLOOR



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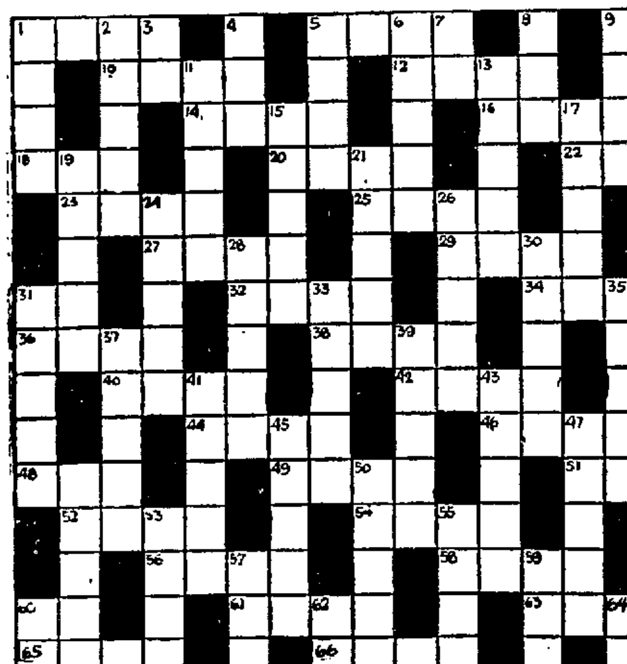
## Crossword Puzzle

This black creation is not as fearful as it looks. True, the plan of this puzzle leaves many unkeyed letters in the vertical columns, but it is a splendid workout in four and five letter words, every word of which should be found in a abridged dictionary, though not necessarily a pocket dictionary.



**HORIZONTAL.**

1. A [illegible] —— in a storm. [illegible]
5. [illegible]
12. [illegible]
14. [illegible]
16. [illegible]
18. [illegible]
20. A [illegible] —— is a friend in [illegible]
2[illegible]. [illegible]
[illegible]. A [illegible]
[illegible]. A [illegible] a wound.
[illegible]. [illegible] and
[illegible]. [illegible] of 22 horizontal.
[illegible]. [illegible]
[illegible]. [illegible]
[illegible]. [illegible]
[illegible]. [illegible]
4[illegible]. A [illegible]
4[illegible]. [illegible] at a distance.
4[illegible]. A sac [illegible] diseased matter.
46. The [illegible] that crossword puzzles have been reminding you [illegible] made famous.
48. A [illegible] and, incidentally, very large bird.
49. Not far.
51. The beginning of assininity and the end of [illegible]
5[illegible]. The Bolsheviks killed the last one.
5[illegible]. Same as 25 horizontal.
5[illegible]. A preposition with the sense of "from the outside in."
5[illegible]. Wings of houses.
6[illegible]. A masculine, singular pronoun.
6[illegible]. Semi-circular recess terminating in the choir or sanctuary of a church.
6[illegible]. Even, contracted.
6[illegible]. Globes.
6[illegible]. Fragrance.

**VERTICAL.**

1. Pool.
2. A wanderer but more easily identified as a common name for a dog.
3. A preposition formed by the twentieth and fifteenth letters of the alphabet.
4. Edge of a garment.
5. Location.
6. Supplies with food.
7. An overgrown hatchet.
8. Consumed.
9. Divisions of play.
11. A small, three-masted ship.
13. Opposite a worker.
15. To accustom.
17. A flare used as a night railroad signal.
19. A fish-eating member of the weasel family.
21. A downy feathered duck.
24. Customary.
26. Soothes.
2[illegible]. Friendly relation (Do not confuse this with friendly relative.)
30. Color of white mixed with black. (Plural.)
31. A thin cake or biscuit.
33. Way or road traveled.
35. Scum or refuse of melted metal.
37. Long narrative poems concerning heroic deeds.
39. Countless years.
41. The nut of an oak.
43. A division or a section of a wall or ceiling.
45. A one-masted vessel.
47. To analyze by the rules of grammar.
50. Exposed to the air.
53. Tunes.
55. A look of malice.
57. What hits your income.
59. Human limb.
60. Westward ——.
62. As.
64. Opposite of yes.

### Answer to Review Prize Puzzle Published Sunday.

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## *Church Notes*

**Missionary Speaks.**

Miss Rose Armbruster, for twenty-one years a missionary in Japan, was the speaker at the Central Church of Christ Sunday morning. Her address was an interesting one, particularly as she told of the changes in that country in the twenty-one years she was there. She also told of the progress which missionary work has made among the people.

**Many Attend Revival.**

A large audience filled the Third United Brethren church Sunday evening at the revival service. The attendance at the Sunday school also was large. One person united with the church during the day. The male quartet from the First church sang Sunday evening. Services will continue at 7:30 each evening this week with the exception of Saturday. Rev. C. W. Martin of Dalton City is preaching during the meetings.

## WOOD PAVEMENT IN ERUPTION

**Rain Causes Blow-Up in Several Places Sunday.**

**Sustained wet weather and a raise in temperature caused further eruptions in the wood block pavements on Saturday and Sunday and a number of "explosions" opened up new holes in the streets while two-foot humps in many places endangered motor traffic.**

**At several points in West Main** street Sunday there were blow-outs of blocks and on North Main, Water and William streets several large humps appeared. In the 200 block West William street there were several blow-outs.

## Loosen Up That Cold With Musterole

Have Musterole handy when a cold starts. It has all of the advantages of grandmother's mustard plaster WITHOUT the blister. You just apply it with the fingers. First you feel a warm tingle as the healing ointment penetrates the pores, then comes a soothing, cooling sensation and quick relief.

Made of pure oil of mustard and other simple ingredients, Musterole is recommended by many nurses and doctors. Try Musterole for bronchitis, sore throat, stiff neck, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, croup, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pains and aches of the back or joints, sore muscles, sprains, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest. It may prevent pneumonia and "flu."

**TO MOTHERS: Musterole is also made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole.**

35c and 65c, jars and tubes.

MUSTEROLE WILL NOT BLISTER

**Better than a mustard plaster**

## ROBBED OF $30 AND HIS WATCH

**Jacob Miller Reports Hold-up to Police.**

Jacob Miller, 2251 East Prairie avenue, reported to the police early Monday morning that he had been held up by two men at the intersection of Seventh street and Prairie avenue. He said one of the men held a gun on him and the other told him to "stick 'em up." Then they took his watch and $30 in money and drove away in a Ford sedan. He said he had some other money in another pocket that they did not get.

## Huge Eagle Caught Near Villa Grove

**Measures 7-Feet-2 From Tip to Tip.**

Villa Grove, Dec. 8—John Bostick, living on a farm two and a half miles south of Villa Grove, captured a huge eagle Sunday, though not without a stiff fight in which he was compelled to shoot the bird through the head. After discovering the eagle Mr. Bostick got it into a fence corner where he put up a vicious fight.

The shot did not kill the bird, and it was turned over to E. R. Shuey, a hardware merchant of this place, who went to the Bostick farm and brought the bird to Villa Grove. He has it at his home, where interested persons may see it.

The eagle measures seven feet, two inches from tip to tip, and stands about as high as a turkey. It has dark and gray feathers. It shows temper when approached, and is not a cordial host to those who call to see it. When it is killed, Mr. Shuey will have it mounted.

## WARREN KERRIGAN IN AUTO WRECK

**Actor Injured in Crash Near Dixon, Ill.**

Dixon, Ill., Dec. 8—J. Warren Kerrigan, moving picture hero, with a party of Chicago friends, figured in an automobile accident near here early this morning. Kerrigan was the only member of the party to be injured and was taken to the Dixon hospital. A young lady in a second car is near death from injuries.

Kerrigan was returning to Chicago from Sterling, where he appeared at the Lincoln theater Sunday.

SUFFERS BAD CUT.

Kerrigan was thrown through a glass window of the sedan, receiving a deep gash over the left eye, extending from the hair to the eyebrows, numerous minor cuts and painful bruises.

Miss Rockwood of Anton, was more seriously injured. She was badly cut about the face, broken glass penetrating the tear duct of the left eye and it was feared this morning she was internally injured.

## THREE YOUTHS ARE HELD AS ROBBERS

Carbondale, Ill., [illegible] Martin [illegible] 17 [illegible] 17 and [illegible] were captured [illegible] Sunday and held for questioning concerning the robbery last night of $[illegible] from [illegible] south of [illegible]

This Week Only **Tanlac** $1.10 Size **69c**

50c Foley's **Cough Syrup** **39c**

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16 oz. Pure **Russian Mineral Oil** 75c size ...... **49c**

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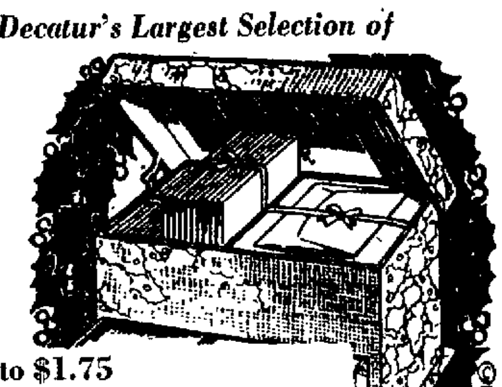
# Folks! Here's A Marvelous Christmas Store

*Gifts from the corners of the World—in Beautiful Profusion—that You must actually See to Really Appreciate—A Christmas Wonderland*

*Undoubetdly, Here is Decatur's Largest Selection of*

## Gift Stationery



One of the most popular packages we have ever carried—beautiful stationery, in especially decorated gift boxes. 24 sheets, 24 envelopes in white only, but of exquisite quality. Sure to please anyone to whom it is given—and a very good value, too, at .......... **60c**

**Other Sizes up to $1.75**

We have several sizes of "Crinoline Days", the only difference being in the package and the quantity of stationery. 60c to $1.35

**at $1.20**

A splendid selection is offered at this price, featuring Eaton, Crane & Pike's "Club Letters," a heavy, woven linen, in size suitable for either men or women. White only, and beautiful.

**at $2.00**

A feature in this group is "Kerryvale Linen," in boxes of 48 sheets and 48 envelopes, with correspondence cards included. The correct social size, in a special gift package. Very pretty.

**at $4.50**

These are the very highest grades, including cabinets. Complete in every detail, in sizes for both men and women. Ripple finished stocks in this group. We advise early shopping.

## Correspondence Cards, too—priced low

**Homespun Linen**

Correspondence cards and envelopes, each box having an assortment of four colors—white, pink, blue and buff. Really splendid gifts, and priced very low, now, at a box .......... **70c**

**Autocrat Linen**

An aristocrat of writing papers—cards and envelopes in your choice of five beautiful shades. The very highest in quality and sure to be appreciated—now, a box .... **90c**

# Note These Practical Ideas

**Complete Cutex Sets**

With the various manicure needs, in special gift packages, fine for gifts because always useful ...... **$1.25**

Others at 50c to $3.00.

**Miniature Ford Autos**

All metal, spring driven, mechanical duplicates of a Ford touring car. While our supply lasts .......... **59c**

**Bread—Toaster Trays**

Highly silvered, center of sand-blast finish, edges polished. Size 8 by 11 inches—very useful ...... **$2.00**

**Curler—Hair Dryer**

Electric combination hair curler and dryer, ivory finish. Complete with cords and pull sockets .......... **$5.50**

**Military Brush Sets**

Certainly the largest selection in town. Brush sets in many designs, with and without genuine leather cases. All prices, too. One of our special values is now on sale at, a pair .......... **$3.25**

**Electric Room Heaters**

Special, now, at **$5.50**

Full size, heavy copper reflector, wire guard, weighted stand, with handle and long cord. A good, reliable heating element. Useful in any home.

**Mahogany Serving Trays**

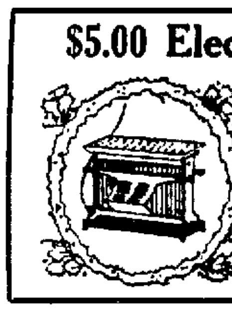
In five designs, mahogany finish with glass top, countersunk handles. Size 11x17 inches—on sale at ...... **$1.19**

**Pie Servers—Casseroles**

Solid and open silver frames and choice of pyrex dish or Royal Rochester heat-proof china, the pyrex at **$3.50**

Royal Rochester style, $7.00.

**$5.00 Electric Turn Toasters**



**$3.98**

**Soft Collar Cases $2.29**

Genuine leather, lined with lavender silk moire. Regular $3.00 cases. Cases for both soft and starched collars.

**Writing Sets $2.00**

Traveler's portable cases, leather covered with pad of paper, calendar, blotter, pockets, etc., folding style.

**Hair Clippers $1.69**

The regular $2.00 clippers, just like barbers. Highly nickled, with good cutter. Buy them this week at $1.69.

**Chinese Baskets 29c to $1.49**

Several sizes, stained reed, decorated with tassels and Chinese coins. Fine for sewing baskets. Bargains.

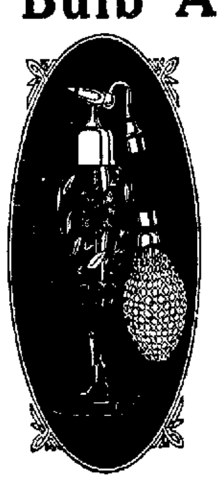
**Shaving Mirrors $3.30**

Round and oval styles, bevel edged, on nickle-plated stands holding china mug and Badger hair shaving brush.

**Bill Folds $1 to $6**

Many kinds, all of them genuine leather. A gift that every man appreciates. On special sale this week.

## Bulb Atomizers 75c to $7.00



Very new and very good this year. Many styles and beautiful designs. All metal gold finished. The new styles offer a wide range for selection, as do the prices. The early shoppers will, of course, have the better choice.

**Perfume Lights $8 $10**

Some thing new! These are small torchiers, with a perfume receptacle. The perfume is evaporated by the heat from the light. Come complete, with 8-foot cord and socket. A number of very pretty styles are shown.

*Vantine's Imported Animal* **Incense Burners**

*Complete with incense—choice* .. **$1.55**

## Fountain Pens and Combination Sets

One reason for the fountain pen's popularity as a gift, is it's everlasting usefulness. We have scores of pens, at most any price you wish to pay. Styles for both men and women, in plain and fancy designs. We'll help you select it.

**$1.50 to $10**

**The Gift That Lasts a Life-time**

Shaeffer Life-time Pens .......... **$8.75**

**Pen and Pencil Sets $8.50 to $15**

A full variety—fountain pen and and magazine pencil to match. Up to $11.50 the sets are plain and engraved gold—Shaeffer—and the sets up to $15 are hand decorated in vivid colors. These will be higher after this year. All in special gift boxes. Truly a gift for someone whom you wish very much to make happy.

## These Beautiful Gift Sets

### Toilet Goods

These sets are composed of the more popular pieces in each line of Toiletries, packed in beautiful, padded gift boxes. As gifts for the ladies, we do not believe there is an equal to delight them, and the wide range of assortments and prices permit perfect selection.

**Karess Gift Sets**

Woodworth's—and each set includes from 3 to 8 articles. In case of any doubt as to what to give, be sure to see these. The prices range from

**$4.25 to $17**

**Richard Hudnut Sets $2.50 to $7.50**

Some of the best values in all the gift sets are in the Hudnut line. Included here are the Three Flowers toiletries—in assortments and prices to meet every desire.

Hudnut's Gardenia and other Hudnut sets range, in price from $1.75 to $15.

**Djer Kiss Sets $1.75 to $5.50**

Each set is imported and the assortment of articles is very broad. They are designed particularly for the more fastidious lovers of beauty. Come and see them.

**Blue Rose Sets $3.50 and $5.50.**

In two styles only, but each one a stunning gift idea. Exquisite toilet goods that you will love to give and that anyone would love to receive. Shop early—don't wait and be disappointed.

**COMPACTS**

Tre-jur Thinest Compacts .......... $1.00
Blue Rose Glove-size Twins .... $1.50
Blue Rose Square—double ...... $1.75
Djer Kiss Twin Sifter (square) $2.50
Hudnut's Deauville—3-fold ...... $2.50
Hudnut's 4-in-1 (Gold Case) .... $5.00

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# SOCIAL NEWS

## DANCES PLANNED BY DECATUR CLUBS FOR HOLIDAY TIME

Three prominent social clubs in Decatur will have Christmas dances this year, in most events the parties being annual affairs.

The Decatur Club will have the first of the Christmas parties, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 23, there will be a dinner-dance at the club, dinner being served beginning at 7 o'clock. Dancing will follow to Lueschbrook's orchestra.

The second of the dances scheduled for the clubs will be Christmas night, Dec. 25, at the Elks. This party is for members of the club, light refreshments will be served during the evening.

On Thursday evening, Dec. 26, the Country Club members will have a dinner-dance in the club. Serving will begin at 7 o'clock, followed by an evening of dancing.

It is quite probable that there will be numerous private parties at the club affairs. Decorations, entertainments and refreshments will be in keeping with the holiday spirit.

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Members of the French club of Millikin university will have their Christmas program and party Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock in the university. The reason for the early hour of meeting is that they may adjourn early to attend the recital given by Miss Fredericka Green Tuesday evening.

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IN compliment to Mrs. Smith Crowder of California, the guest of her mother, Mrs. D. S. Shellabarger, West Decatur street, Mrs. Paul Carter will be hostess to a few friends at bridge in her home in West William street Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Knick of Sheffield, Ala., former residents of Decatur, plan to arrive the latter part of the week to pass the holidays with Mrs. Knick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Dawson.

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The third Review dance will be held Wednesday evening, Dec. 17 in the K. of C. hall beginning at 8:30. Cook's orchestra will furnish the music for dancing.

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THE members of the Daughters club will entertain their mothers with a banquet at the Elks Club Tuesday evening at 6:30. The affair will be followed with a line party at the Lincoln Square theater.

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The L. M. Club, a new club, was organized by a group of twelve women who met in the home of Mrs. Carter Earnshaw recently. The club was organized to work for the interest of Decatur Fortress No. 23. It will meet once a month. The following officers were elected:

President—Kate Earnshaw.
Vice president—Ida Nicholson.
Secretary and treasurer — Mae Crain.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. O'Dell, Tuesday. Each member is asked to bring her own needle and thread.

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Members of Starlight Past Noble Grand club will have their annual Christmas party Thursday afternoon at 1:30 in the home of Mrs Bellsmith, 1155 West Cerro Gordo.

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Lewis Sigmon, 139 North Fairview avenue, will entertain thirty-six of his comrades of the G. A. R. at dinner Tuesday in the home of his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Will Sigmon, North Fairview.

## PERSONALS

Mrs. C. A. Simpson, West Forrest, returned Sunday from Chicago where she attended the international roller canary show, held in the Hotel Sherman.

## Household Suggestions

**To Rotary Sifter.**

Strain cranberries through a rotary flour sifter if you wish them to be particularly delicious.

**Brush Mattress.**

The mattress should be brushed and beaten with a flat rattan beater at least once a month.

**Soap Jelly.**

Use soap jelly for washing your wool stockings instead of rubbing the bar of soap directly on the hose.

**Keep Covered.**

Uncooked meat should be kept in a covered enamel dish.

**To Remove Odor.**

To deodorize gasoline so the odor of it will not remain on the clothes you have cleaned, add five or six drops of oil of sassafras to each quart of gasoline used.

## MT. AUBURN HEN THIEVES INDICTED

Mt. Auburn, Dec. 8—Emmett Everitt of this place and Harry Miller, giving his residence as Chicago, were indicted by the grand jury last week for burglary and larceny. They were charged with breaking into the henhouse of Mrs. Mary Linn, a few months ago.

Miller and Everitt have been confined to the county jail the last few months after having been caught by the A. H. T. A. of Osbernville, while endeavoring to get away with some of Mrs. Linn's chickens in an automobile alleged to have been stolen from a construction company at Champaign.

An entertainment entitled "American Mysto" will be given at the Methodist church Thursday evening, Dec. 11, by a highly recommended entertainer, under the auspices of the Busy Bunch class of the Methodist Sunday school.

JUANITA LAWSON WINS.

The annual township spelling match for Mt. Auburn grade school building Saturday afternoon, Dec. 6, under the management of Prof. J. O. Thomas, resulted as follows: Jaunita Lawson, 8th grade, first; Viola Bramel, 7th grade, second; Lucille Goodrich, 5th grade, third, and Willard Clower, 7th grade, fourth. The above pupils are all from Mt. Auburn grade school and are the only pupils of this township who competed in this spelling match. They are eligible to enter the county spelling match to be held at Taylorville, Dec. 15.

DERAILED.

The local freight train on the C. I. & W. railroad was delayed here Wednesday and Thursday nights when three box cars left the track near the elevator, tearing up the track for a considerable distance. The local section crew was kept up quite late each night repairing the track in order that the freight and night passenger train might get by here as soon as possible.

Delbert Vermillion, who received a fracture of the right arm recently, while cranking a Ford, is getting along nicely.

John A. Kimball of Taylorville, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kimball of this place, has recently been granted a patent on an adjustable headlight.

Miss Lucille Nichols of Indianapolis, Ind., has arrived to spend a few weeks in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hardisty and to attend the bedside of Mrs. L. F. Bartlett, who has been ill the last two weeks.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hobbs, Tuesday, Dec. 2, a daughter, third child.


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## ASKS REVISION OF DANCE ORDINANCE

**Claude Barrett Wants Women to Be Charged Half Price.**

Claude Barrett, who operates a dance hall in the Armory building on East Main Monday petitioned the city council that the present dance hall ordinance be amended to require an admission fee for women of half of that charged for men and that the time for securing permits be reduced to either twelve or twenty-four hours before the dance instead of forty-eight hours as now provided. The matter was referred to the council as a committee of the whole to investigate and report.

**Miss Conard Improves.**

Miss Sarah Mark Imboden returned to Decatur Saturday evening after having been with Miss Harriett Zoe Conard through the latter's operation in Rochester, Minn., in the Mayo hospital. She reports that Miss Conard's condition is exceptionally good.

Returning by way of Chicago, Miss Imboden was a speaker Friday in Harvey, Ill., for District No. 5 of the Cook County Teachers' Institute.

## MRS. DRENNAN DIES IN TAYLORVILLE

**Was Widow of James L. Drennan Well Known Lawyer.**

Taylorville Dec. 8—Mrs. Grace Drennan widow of the late James L. Drennan died at 2 o'clock Sunday morning at her home on East Poplar street after a year's illness. The funeral will be held from the home at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon conducted by Rev. E. J. Campbell with burial in Oak Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Drennan was born in May township, Christian county, March 20, 1875, and on Nov. 24, 1899, was married to Mr. Drennan, who for many years was one of the leading attorneys of the city. He died two years ago.

Mrs. Drennan is survived by her mother, Mrs. Catherine Clawson, two sisters, Mrs. Frank Barnes and Miss Edith Clawson of Taylorville, and the following named children: Mrs. Martha Jordan of Mt. Auburn, Mrs. Ruth Caltuhon, John, Wayne and Lillian Drennan, at home. There also are two granddaughters.

Mrs. Drennan was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church, and was highly respected in the community.

**Bakery Sale and Bazaar.**

The St. James school will have a bakery and bazaar sale Wednesday in the Farm Bureau. All kinds of bakery goods including angel food and coffee cakes and Christmas cookies will be for sale. Salads, beans and meat loaf will be in abundance. In the bazaar section, outfit sets, handkerchiefs and fancy aprons will be featured.

**Sues For Divorce.**

Martha Marie Maple has filed a bill for divorce from Herbert Maple. They were married July 28, 1922, and lived together till Oct. 22, 1922. She charges him with desertion and asks for her maiden name, Martha Kayhs.


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## Menus for a Family

Breakfast — Stewed figs with lemon juice, cereal, thin cream, ham omelet, potatoes hashed in cream, waffles, syrup, whole wheat toast, milk, coffee.

Luncheon — Mixed vegetables in beet cups, cheese and lettuce sandwiches, rice pudding, milk, tea.

Dinner—Cream of tomato soup, boiled mutton, caper sauce, mashed potatoes, canned string beans, chestnut salad, eggless plum pudding, whole wheat bread, milk, coffee.

With eggs so scarce an eggless plum pudding may be welcome.

Except for the caper sauce served with the mutton there are no dishes suggested that are not suitable for the junior members of the family. The waffles are unnecessary in the breakfast menu of a child under school age.

MIXED VEGETABLES IN BEET CUPS.

Five medium sized beets, ½ cup diced turnips, 1-2 cup diced carrots, ½ cup canned peas, 1 tablespoon butter, 1 teaspoon sugar, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1 cup stock or water.

Wash beets, taking care not to break the skin. Boil until tender. This time of year it will take from 1 to 2 hours. Plunge into cold water and slip the skins. Cut a thin slice from the bottom if necessary to make the bets stand singly on the platter. Scoop out the center. Cook carrots in stock until tended, add turnips cooked separately and peas and simmer until stock is absorbed. Add butter, sugar, salt and a few grains of pepper. Simmer over boiling water for ten minutes. Fill beet cups with vegetables and serve.

CHESTNUT SALAD.

One-half cup boiled chestnuts, 1-2 cup seeded raisins, 1-2 cup diced apple, 1-2 cup minced celery, boiled salad dressing, shredded lettuce.

Peel and slice chestnuts. Home grown or imported ones can be used. Combine raisins, apple, celery and chestnuts with the dressing and serve on a bed of shredded lettuce. A spoonful of thick mayonnaise can top each serving if convenient.

EGGLESS PLUM PUDDING.

One cup suet, 1 cup chopped and seeded raisins, 1 cup stoned and chopped dates, 1 cup sweet milk, 1 cup molasses, 3 cups flour, 1 teaspoon soda, 2 teaspoons cream of tartar, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 1-2 teaspoon grated nutmeg, 1-2 teaspoon cloves.

Chop suet very fine and work until creamy. Add molasses and soda and stir until foamy. Mix fruit with a few tablespoonsful of flour. Add to first mixture. Mix salt, spices and cream of tartar with remaining flour and add alternately with milk to mixture. Mix thoroughly and turn into a well buttered mold. Steam three hours and serve with lemon sauce.

LEMON SAUCE.

Two eggs, 1 cup powdered sugar, 4 tablespoons cream, 2 lemons.

Use yolks of eggs for salad dressing.

Beat whites of eggs until stiff and dry. Slowly beat in sugar. Heat cream to the scalding point and beat into first mixture. Add juice of lemons and grated rind of one. Beat slightly and serve.

## MRS. ROUGHTON PLANS INSTITUTE

**Prize Offered for Essays on Settlement.**

Sullivan, Dec. 8—County Superintendent of Schools Nettie L. Roughton is planning for the work of the teachers' institute, which will be held in January in connection with the annual Farmers' Institute.

Prizes will be offered for best specimens of writing, poster work, map of the United States, also for the best birdhouse. These prizes will be for rural and grade school pupils.

A first prize of $5 is offered to students of the high school for best essay on, "The First Permanent Settlement In My Own Country." This is to be simple, narrative form and a history of the early social conditions. These essays must be in the office of Mrs. Roughton on or before the 10th day of January.

A writing specialist from the Palmer Writing Institute will be here to give institute instructions on writings and to judge specimens submitted.

INTO OLD QUARTERS.

The office of the City Light and Power plant has been moved to the vacant building between the Dedman harness shop and the office of the Moultrie County Farm Bureau. Prior to moving the office to the Jefferson theater building, it was located in this room.

KIRKWOOD FUNERAL.

The funeral services for Norton E. Kirkwood were held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Christian church conducted by Rev. W. B. Hopper. Mr. Kirkwood who is a former Sullivan resident died in Decatur Friday at the home of his brother, James W. Kirkwood.

He was fifty-three years of age and a long time conducted a bakery and restaurant in Sullivan, moving from here to Kansas, Ill., about a year ago, where he engaged in the bakery business until his failing health caused him to retire.

He was married in Sullivan to Vada Greenwood, May 28, 1871, and his widow and two daughters survive. The daughters are Mrs. W. P. Massock of St. Annes and Mrs. T. D. Wilson of Chicago. He is also survived by three brothers, George of Bethany, James W. of Decatur and Claude of Humeston, and a sister, Mrs. Cordelia Williams, of Los Angeles.

Before moving to Sullivan, Mr. Kirkwood was engaged in business at Windsor and Kirksville. He was a member of the United Brethren church of Kirksville. Interment in the Greenhill cemetery at Sullivan.

Members of the Sullivan Country Club were entertained at a pot luck supper and dance at the Masonic Home Friday evening. Nearly all members were present. Music was furnished by the Ray Novelty orchestra. Those who didn't dance, played cards.

ASSESSMENTS LEVIED.

The Moultrie County Mutual and the Sullivan Mutual Life Insurance companies of Sullivan both issued assessments upon their members last week on account of deaths of policy holders. The Moultrie County Mutual is making its assessment on account of the deaths of Maggie E. Watts of Arthur, and Willis E. Waggoner of Decatur. This company issues a $500 policy and each member is assessed fifty cents on each death.

The Sullivan Mutual is issuing an assessment on account of the death of Norton E. Kirkwood of Decatur. This company issues a $1,000 policy and each member is assessed $1 on each death. C. W. Green is the secretary of the Moultrie County Mutual and R. C. Miller is secretary of the Sullivan Mutual.

BOY PREACHER COMING.

The Young Peoples' society of the Nazarene church has been most fortunate in booking Freddie L. Thomas, the fifteen-year-old boy preacher for a convention, Dec. 7 to 14.

Plans are being made whereby the local company of National Guards, whose equipment and supplies were destroyed in the fire here last Monday when the Armory and Jefferson theater buildings were completely destroyed to find other quarters. It is said that this company may be retained here provided a suitable place can be rented to suit its purposes. One location, that of the C. H. Tabor Motor Sales garage, was much talked of between Lieut. Smith and Col. Tripp of Springfield. It is not definitely decided, however, whether this company will be retained here or moved to some larger city.

Clarence Ireland and Everett Worsham, students at the University of Illinois, visited Saturday and Sunday with relatives in this city.

Merrill Wehmhoff, former state's attorney of this county, and who is now making his home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wehmhoff of Decatur, transacted business here Saturday.

FIGHT ON SQUARE.

Last week a fistic encounter took place on the lawn on the west side of the court house between L. R. Garrett, janitor of the court house and S. P. English, ex-circuit clerk. Each received a black eye from the fight, and a light fine. The fight, according to Mr. Garrett had been brewing for over a year and on three or four other occasions they would have come to blows, but were not quite ready. Each man is past fifty years of age, and the father of a large family.

**Cooperative Club.**

The Parents' Cooperative club will meet with Mrs. Blaw, 975 West Cerro Gordo, Monday evening.


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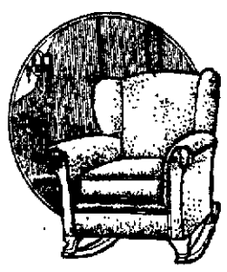

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## SELECT CAST FOR THE ROMANCERS

**High School Play to Be Given Jan. 9.**

The cast for the high school Dramatic club's play "The Romancers" has been announced and is as follows:

Sylvette—Marian Pease.
Percinette—James Van Bellehan.
Bergamin—Dale Karr.
Pasquinot—Lyle Sriner.
Straforel—Jack Brown.
Blaise—John Heil.
A wall—(Not a speaking part).

The author of this play is E. Rostand.

The cast is working very hard on this play and sometime next week, a sketch of it will be presented to the students to stimulate interest in it and to increase the attendance at the final performance which will be given to the public on Jan. 9.

DEBATE.

Just a week remains until the tryouts for the debate with Danville will be held. More students are asked to tryout for the debate so that the judges will have a larger number to pick from. So far, comparatively few names have been submitted and more are wanted to argue.

## COAL COMPANIES LOSE TAX FIGHT

**Supreme Court Upholds Lower Court.**

Washington, Dec. 8 — The attack by a number of coal companies on the Pennsylvania anthracite tax was dismissed today by the supreme court.

The supreme court did not specifically pass upon the validity of the tax, but merely announced that on authorities cited the decision of the lower court upholding the tax would be affirmed.

ASSAIL METHODS.

The methods used by Pennsylvania in taxing anthracite coal mined in that state were assailed in the Supreme Court by the Cranberry Creek Coal company, the Alliance Coal Mining company, the Lehigh Coal & Navigation company and the Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron company.

After the Supreme Court had held in the Heisler case that the state could impose a tax upon anthracite coal mined and ready for shipment, the law was attacked by these coal mining companies on the ground that it was levied upon the coal after it had entered interstate commerce and was not uniform, being higher in some instances than in others.

STATE'S CONTENTION.

The state contended that the ad valorem tax was assessed upon the coal at the time it was mined, washed or screened and was ready for shipment. It pointed out that the law required the superintendent or other mine officer to ascertain daily the number of gross tons mined, to value the daily output, and to assess the tax which his company would be required to pay under the law. All of this could be done, it insisted, before the coal entered interstate commerce.


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## WANT FANCY LIGHTS ON ELM STREET

**Residents Petition City for Improvement.**

Residents in Elm street hope to "spruce up" their street both in name and appearance, it was indicated by a petition to the city council presented Monday from property owners along the street asking for ornamental lights on both sides of the street and also that the name of the street be changed from "Elm street" to "Elm Place." The petitions were referred for investigation and report.

The petition for lights specifies ornamental lights on ten foot standards on both sides of the street spaced about 100 feet apart. The property owners are willing to assume the expense of the extra cost of the lights provided it does not exceed $1.15 a front foot and asks that the city furnish current.

In asking that the name of the street be changed to "Elm Place," the property owners contend that since it is a street of only a block long that the change is warranted.

Elm street lies between Wall Street and Pine street north of Eldorado street.


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No. 18

## "Bill Ding" Contest Ends

**Boys and Girls Must Submit Complete Scrap Books to Lyon Lumber Company before 5 p. m. Thursday. Dec. 11**

**$50 In Prizes To Be Awarded**

The "Bill Ding" Contest, in which $50 in twenty prizes will be given for the neatest and best looking "Bill Ding" Scrap Books containing the complete series of 30 "Bill Ding" ads, closes with this issue. The prizes range from $15 for the first prize, to $10, $5, $3, $2 and fifteen $1 prizes for the others. This gives an opportunity for at least twenty boys and girls to earn some Christmas spending money.

We wish to announce three disinterested persons, not connected with the Lyon Lumber Company, who will act as judges in the contest. They are:

G. Lorenze Miller,
Commercial Art Service,
Citizens Bank Bldg

Clark M. Uhler,
Display Manager Linn & Scruggs

Lawrence Ruiz,
Instructor of Manual Training
Decatur High School

NOTE THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS FOR TURNING IN YOUR SCRAP BOOKS

1. All Scrap Books must be at the office of the Lyon Lumber Company, 404 East Cerro Gordo St., before 5 P. M. Thursday, Dec. 11, 1924.

2. No Scrap Book shall carry the owner's name but shall be accompanied by a sealed envelope in which the owner's name and address is plainly written.

3. Winners will be announced Monday, Dec. 15th in the regular "Bill Ding" ad and checks for the lucky boys or girls will be mailed out on that date so that the money may be used for Christmas spending money or better still, to start a Savings Account.

4. Refer to the first ad for the original rules of the contest.

5. Remember that all scrap books are to be judged SOLELY on NEATNESS, COMPLETENESS and GENERAL APPEARANCE.


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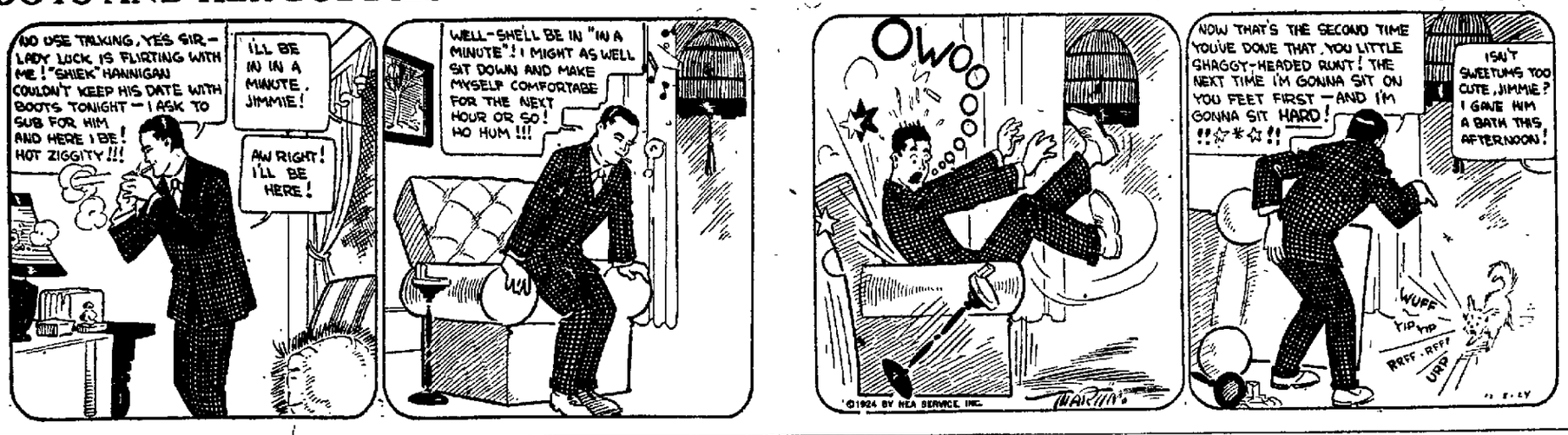
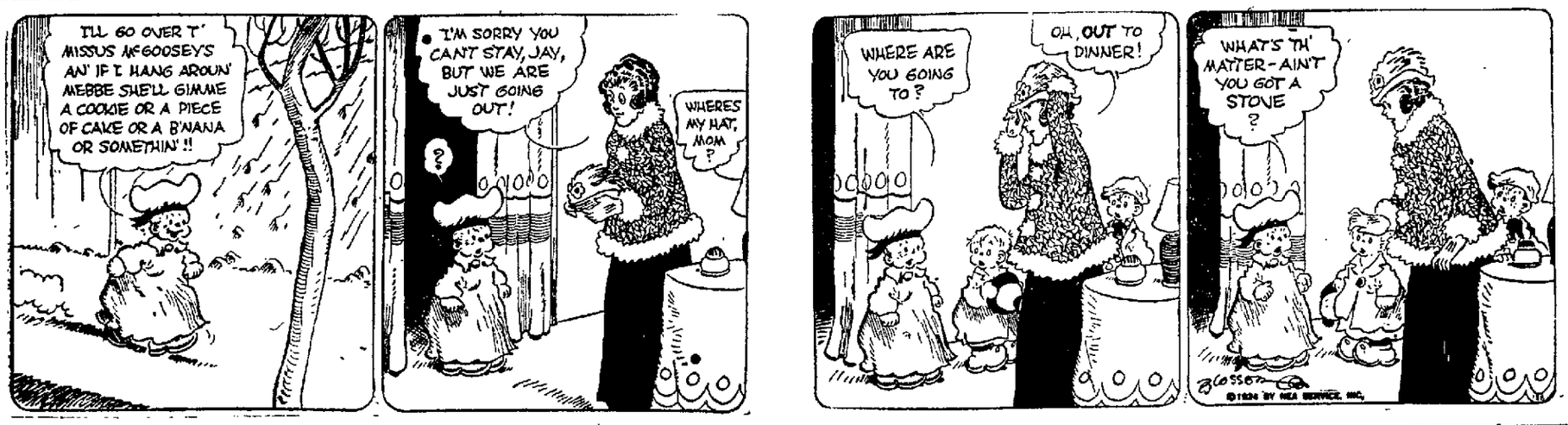
*By Martin*




## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

LOOKS FUNNY TO JAY!

*By Blosser*

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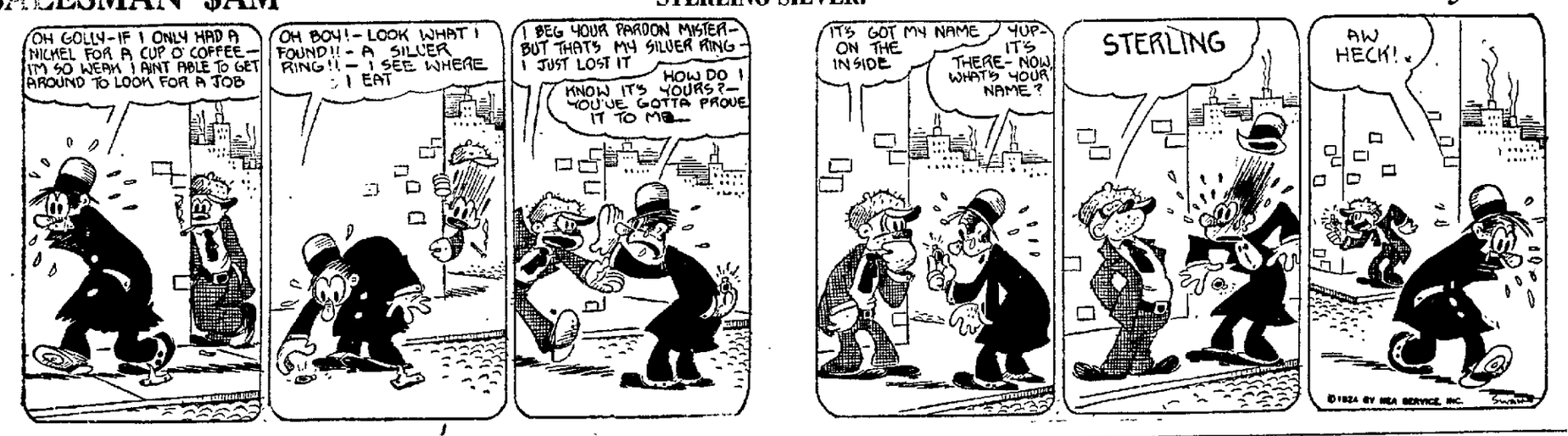
STERLING SILVER.

*By Swan*




### CHRISTMAS CANDY.

## AUNT THANKFUL'S SEED CAKE

Three-fourths cup butter, 1 1-2 cups granulated sugar, 3 eggs, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 1-2 teaspoon grated nutmeg, 2 tablespoon caraway seed, 3 cups flour, 1-4 teaspoon salt, 1-4 cup boiling water, 1-2 teaspoon soda, 4 tablespoons milk

Cream butter. Heat in sugar and spices. Beat eggs until light and add gradually to first mixture. Add flour and salt. Mix until smooth and add soda dissolved in boiling water. If too thick to drop from the spoon add milk. Drop from the tip of the spoon onto a buttered paper and bake in a moderate oven.

These are most delectable little cakes to serve with afternoon tea to a chance visitor during the holidays.

## ATWOOD GIRL IS NOW CHIROPRACTOR

Atwood, Dec. 8.—Miss Mazie Wharton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wharton, has purchased the business of Dr. F. A. Fox, chiropractor at Charleston. Possession will be given by Jan. 1. Miss Wharton for the last few years has been attending school in Davenport, Iowa. Previous to this she taught in the rural schools here.

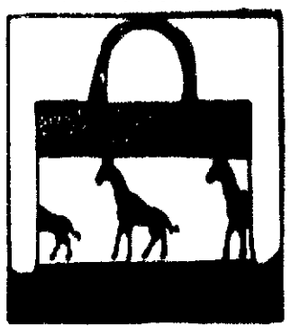
Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Doty spent last Sunday in Carrington with Mrs. Doty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. King.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Riggs on Dec. 3, a daughter. She has been named Charlotte Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Marston of Mt. Ford, Ill., are the proud parents of a daughter born on Dec. 1. She has been named Margaret Elizabeth. Mr. Marston was formerly teacher

### CHRISTMAS PRESENT

## SCHOOL BAG



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## Adventures of the Twins

BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

(Copyright, 1924)

### A Shoo-Fly Riddle.

See if you can guess this riddle, dears, as quickly as Nancy did.
I'm the friendliest person you ever did see,
If there's half a chance for a meal,
But when I'm not invited
You cannot blame me,
If my appetite tempts me to steal.

I go round the table from this plate to that,
And daintily sit down and sip,
I sample the gravy,
I nibble the fat,
And into the tea-cups I dip.

I dearly love butter, and jelly's a treat,
But I'm not so greedy for bread.
I am always around
When there's anything sweet
Such as cookies or cake-crumbs or spread.

I am not at all sensitive, never feel hurt,
When you cry at my manners. "Oh fie!"
It matters far more,
What you have for dessert,
If you've berries, or pudding, or pie.

I buzz my delight as I feast on your food,
And I sample your coffee and water.
It doesn't disturb me
At all to be shooed.
The one thing that I fear is a swatter."

The Twins had gone off by themselves to hunt a shady place. But they could hear the Riddle Lady's voice through the trees quite plainly.

"It's a fly!" called Nancy popping out.

"Oh, I guessed it, too!" said Little Boy Blue. "But all the flies aren't in the dining-room and kitchen. There is a whole stack in the hay-field."

Everybody laughed.

"Why, what's the matter?" asked Little Boy Blue in surprise.

"Where would a stack be if not in the hay-field," said Mrs. John kindly. "Either a whole stack or half a stack."

"Oh, I don't mean the kind of a stack I went to sleep under," said Little Boy Blue. "I mean a stack of flies. I suppose I should say a great many flies."

"Well," said the Riddle Lady. "The prize is a whistle and I'll have to give it to Nancy. She said it first."

"Give it to Little Boy Blue, please," said kind Nancy. "He needs a whistle more than I do. A whistle is much better than a horn."

"Here is another short riddle,' said the Riddle Lady. "What has one wheel but makes three tracks?"

Well, sir, the Mother Goose people guessed everything from sleds to kiddy-kars. But it was none of those.

Everybody gave up and the Riddle Lady had to tell.

"A wheel-barrow," said she.

Now why, my dears, does it make three tracks, do you think.

(To Be Continued.)

## ENTERTAINS IN HONOR OF AUNT

Hindsboro, Dec. 8.—Mrs. Charles Shoemaker entertained seventeen ladies in honor of her aunt, Miss Myra Beggs, and her mothr, Mrs. James O. Kirkpatrick, Tuesday afternoon it being a surprise to Mrs. Kirkpatrick. The afternoon was spent in sewing and conversation. Tea sandwiches and little cakes were served in the dining room.

The Ambassador quartet gave the second number of the lyceum course at the auditorium Tuesday evening and were greeted by a large crowd.

The ladies of the Christian and the Queen Esther class of the M. E. church were entertained at th home of Mrs. A. T. Eagley Wednesday afternoon. Leaders, Mrs. E. P. Dowler; scripture reading, prayer, Mrs Orm Wentz.

A social hour followed and refreshments served by Mrs. Bagley, assisted by Mrs. C. W. Mitchell.

The Gleaners Bible class of the M. E. church met with Mrs. Ed Graham Wednesday afternoon. On account of bad weather only a small number were present, but an interesting program was given. Mrs. Charles Shoemaker was leader. Mrs. Graham was assisted by Mrs. Ray Corzine in serving refreshments.

The leaders of the Christian church will serve a cafeteria supper beginning at 5:30 on Thursday evening, Dec. 11 in the church basement.

The basketball season for the Hindsboro Community High school will be officially opened here next Friday night, Dec. 12, when Arcola plays the team here on the local floor.

[illegible] and son of Danville, formerly of Aurora, visited her [illegible] and Mrs. John Wilson, [illegible] week.

H. L. Pearson, former section foreman here, has been transferred as crossing flagman at Terre Haute, Ind. William Erlywine of Seeleyville has been given the position here and will soon move his family here having rented the Lee property.

Abe Van Voorhis and cousin, Roscoe Dean, of Danville, are visiting relatives here.

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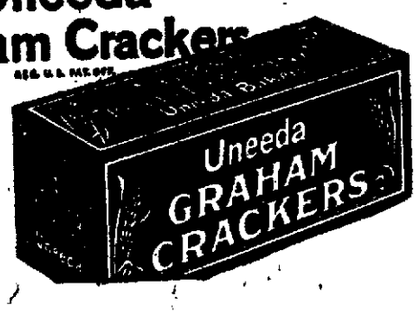


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# Jim Duchalsky Shot In Street Argument

## Commie Hurler Killed Sunday Night In His Native City of Honolulu—A Quiet Athlete.

BY HOWARD V. MILLARD.

Jim Duchalsky, known to all Three Eye League baseball fans as "The Duke," has pitched his last game of ball. According to an Associated Press dispatch from Honolulu the 1924 Commie was shot to death in his native city last evening after a street argument. That is all the meager dispatch from the Island city had to say.

DUCHALSKY.

It will be hard to convince Decatur baseball fans who have come in contact with Jim that he was the aggressor in any brawl that might have taken place for he was the most quiet player both on and off the field to ever appear here. Jim never said over a half dozen words in any ball game he pitched while off the field, a few words of greeting was the limit. He was quiet in all his dealings and did not mingle much with the other players on ball clubs.

NATIVE OF HONOLULU.

Duchalsky is one of the few Hawaians who has taken up baseball in this country as a profession and his season with the Commies was the second in the Three Eye. He was owned by the Salt Lake City club but farmed to Peoria in 1923, where he enjoyed a good year after a bad start, being very effective after the middle of the campaign. He was returned to Salt Lake at the close of the Three Eye campaign and when released by the Coast League club last year came to Decatur as the property of the Commies.

LED THE COMMIES.

While not considered as one of the top notchers of the circuit he pitched some mighty fine baseball for the locals, and especially when Harold Irelan was in charge of the club. While the official averages have not been compiled, Duchalsky was the only member of the Commie staff who won more games than he lost, having a percentage much better than his club which is always a good mark for a hurler.

WORKED AT STALEYS.

Following the close of the Three Eye season in Peoria on Sept. 7, Jim returned to Decatur after a few days visit in the Tractor city and went to work at the Staley Co. on September 16. He continued out at that plant until Oct. 11, rooming with Art Pratt, the Commie outfielder, who was also making his home here.

After remaining in the city a few more days he left for Honolulu where he expected to pitch baseball in a winter league until time to come to the States to join the Commie camp.

Despite his quiet manners and the fact he was not a mixer, many fans in both Decatur and Peoria will mourn his loss. Duchalsky was admired by the fans in every city where he played for his sportsmanlike conduct on the ball field and in all his games pitched at Staley Field was never seen disputing an umpire's decision, even on balls and strikes. He pitched his game and left the arguments out of his assortment.

# Big Ten Baseball Schedules

Coaches of western conference baseball teams gathered in Chicago last Saturday and arranged the 1925 schedule. The season will open in April and close early in June. Some squads, such as Michigan, Illinois, and Wisconsin will take short jaunts into the south for preliminary training. The complete schedule follows:

MICHIGAN.

May 2—Illinois at Michigan.
May 4—Wisconsin at Michigan.
May 8—Michigan at Northwestern.
May 9—Michigan at Wisconsin.
May 15, 16—Minnesota at Michigan.
May 23—Michigan at Illinois.
May 25—Michigan at Iowa.
May 30—Iowa at Michigan.
June 12—Ohio State at Michigan.
June 13—Michigan at Ohio State.

MINNESOTA.

April 23—Northwestern at Minnesota
May 2—Minnesota at Iowa.
May 4—Minnesota at Indiana
May 9—Indiana at Minnesota
May 12—Wisconsin at Minnesota
May 15, 16—Minnesota at Michigan
May 23—Iowa at Minnesota
May 29—Minnesota at Wisconsin.
May 30—Minnesota at Northwestern.
June 5-6—Ohio State at Minnesota.

CHICAGO.

April 18—Northwestern at Chicago.
April 25—Chicago at Iowa.
April 28—Indiana at Chicago.
May 2—Purdue at Chicago.
May 6—Illinois at Chicago.
May 13—Chicago at Purdue.
May 16—Iowa at Chicago.
May 20—Chicago at Northwestern.
May 23—Wisconsin at Chicago.
May 28—Chicago at Illinois.
June 1—Chicago at Indiana
June 6—Chicago at Wisconsin.

OHIO STATE.

April 11—Butler at Ohio State.
April 16—Ohio State at Purdue
April 22—Ohio State at Indiana.
April 25—Purdue at Ohio State.
May 2—Wisconsin at Ohio State.
May 9—Cornell at Ohio State.
May 16—Ohio State at Illinois.
May 20—Illinois at Ohio State.
May 29—Iowa at Ohio State.
June 5, 6—Ohio State at Minnesota.
June 12—Ohio State at Michigan.
June 13—Michigan at Ohio State.

NORTHWESTERN.

April 11—Purdue at Northwestern.
April 14—Wisconsin at Northwestern.
April 18—Northwestern at Chicago.
April 20—Iowa at Northwestern.
April 25—Northwestern at Minnesota.
April 29—Northwestern at Purdue.
May 2—Northwestern at Indiana.
May 9—Northwestern at Iowa.
May 16—Northwestern at Wisconsin.
May 20—Chicago at Northwestern.
May 23—Indiana at Northwestern.
May 30—Minnesota at Northwestern.

ILLINOIS.

April 18—Iowa at Illinois.
April 22—Illinois at Purdue.
April 25—Illinois at Wisconsin.
April 27—Illinois at Iowa.
May 2—Illinois at Michigan.
May 6—Illinois at Chicago.
May 9—Purdue at Illinois.
May 15—Notre Dame at Illinois.
May 16—Ohio State at Illinois.
May 20—Illinois at Ohio State.
May 23—Michigan at Illinois.
May 25—Wisconsin at Illinois.
May 28—Chicago at Illinois.

PURDUE.

April 11—Purdue at Northwestern.
April 16—Ohio State at Purdue.
April 22—Illinois at Purdue.
April 25—Purdue at Ohio State.
April 29—Northwestern at Purdue.
May 2—Purdue at Chicago.
May 9—Purdue at Illinois.
May 13—Chicago at Purdue.
May 16—Purdue at Indiana.
June 6—Indiana at Purdue.
June 8—Purdue at Indiana.

WISCONSIN.

April 14—Wisconsin at Northwestern
April 25—Illinois at Wisconsin.
May 2—Wisconsin at Ohio State.
May 4—Wisconsin at Michigan.
May 9—Michigan at Wisconsin.
May 12—Wisconsin at Minnesota.
May 16—Northwestern at Wisconsin.
May 23—Wisconsin at Chicago.
May 25—Wisconsin at Illinois.
May 29—Minnesota at Wisconsin.
June 6—Chicago at Wisconsin.

IOWA.

April 18—Iowa at Illinois.
April 20—Iowa at Northwestern.
April 25—Chicago at Iowa.
April 27—Illinois at Iowa.
May 2—Minnesota at Iowa.
May 9—Northwestern at Iowa.
May 11—Indiana at Iowa.
May 16—Iowa at Chicago.
May 23, 25—Iowa at Minnesota.
May 29—Iowa at Ohio State.
May 30—Iowa at Michigan.

INDIANA.

April 22—Ohio State at Indiana.
April 28—Indiana at Chicago.
May 2—Northwestern at Indiana.
May 4—Minnesota at Indiana.
May 9—Indiana at Minnesota.
May 11—Indiana at Iowa.
May 16—Purdue at Indiana.
May 23—Indiana at Northwestern.
June 1—Chicago at Indiana.
June 6—Indiana at Purdue.
June 8—Purdue at Indiana.

# GIBBONS-NORFOLK READY FOR BELL

## Tommy and Dusky Battler Meet in Gotham.

New York, Dec. 8—Tom Gibbons, St. Paul light-heavy-weight and Kid Norfolk, Baltimore negro boxer, are reported primed for a crucial 15 round bout in Madison Square Garden Tuesday night. On Friday night the semi-finals of the state athletic commission's featherweight tournament is to develop a successor to Johnny Dundee's vacated title, will be staged in the same arena.

Gibbons with another match against the champion Jack Dempsey, in the offing, has stated that he expects to erase the negro from the list of title contenders in this bout. The St. Paul man is noted for boxing skill which succeeded in evading the knockout punch of Dempsey at Shelby, Mont. Norfolk, somewhat less schooled, wields a terrific blow which has knocked out capable fighters.

RICKARD IS BUSY.

He is quoted as having expressed confidence in his ability to stop Gibbons.

Exceptional interest centers in the statement that Tex Rickard, promoter and Eddie Kane, manager of Gibbons, have signed articles whereby Gibbons will engage in a match with the champion if such an offer presents itself.

On Friday Louis (Kid) Kaplan of Meriden Conn. and Jose Lombardo of Panama will clash for the chance to meet Danny Kramer of Philadelphia for the featherweight title, having already conquered Bobby Garcia, the fighting soldier from Maryland, and Lou Paluso of Salt Lake City, in the preliminaries. Kramer drew a bye in the semi-finals.

Two of the men defeated in the preliminaries will box a semi-final to this bout, Garcia meeting Mike Dundee of Rock Island, Ill.

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# BIG TEN COACHES TALK 1925 RULES

## Some Favor New Extra Point Rule for Next Year.

BY WALTER ECKERSALL.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 8.—When coaches of western conference university football teams gathered in Chicago last Friday and Saturday to arrange the 1925 schedule, a lot of discussion centered around proposed changes in the rules.

The mentors were a unit in agreeing that the kickoff should be made from the kicking team's forty yard line instead of the middle of the field as was the rule last fall. Such action will do away with the oval being booted over the goal lines and will permit more spectacular returns.

NEW EXTRA POINT RULE?

Another point which is interesting and one which merits consideration is in regard to the try for point after touchdown. When the scoring team attempts to register the extra point by run, kick, pass or line play, the defense has no chance to score. All that it can do is to prevent the offending eleven from registering the been scored.

Coaches now contend that the defense should be given a chance to score a point by picking up a fumble or intercepting a forward pass. Some mentors say that the defense should be permitted to recover a blocked kick and run for the point which may help to do away with tie scores. Such a procedure will create more spectacular runs. In other words the majority of coaches contend this play would go to completion just the same as if it happened in the field of play and before a touchdown had been smored.

ASSIGN OFFICIALS SOON.

Prof. Ralph W. Aigler of Michigan, chairman of the committee in charge of appointing officials for various Big Ten football games, asserted the new scheme is working out better than was expected. In its first year, the committee received few adverse criticisms, while most of the reports of officials on different games lauded the sportsmanship of coaches and spectators.

According to Prof. Aigler, this committee will meet early next month to make the assignments for next fall. This will be done to give officials not chosen for games opportunities to sign up for non-conference struggles. Prof. O. F. Long of Northwestern and Maj. John L. Griffith, the Big Ten athletic commissioner, are the other members of the committee.

# Winning Plays of Basketball

BY COACH H. D. ORTNER.
Cornell, Eastern Champions.

This play is always made under your own basket.

Number five takes the ball out. Players one, two, three and four line up across the court at about the end of the foul lane circle.

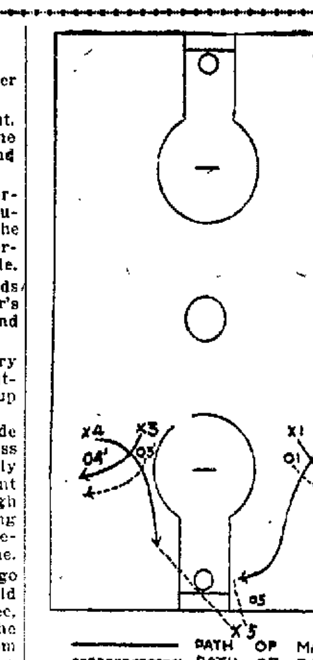
Two fast and clever men, preferably the forwards, if they are accurate shots, are used to cut into the basket, while one and three, preferably the guards, cut out to the side.

Just at the time the two forwards are behind number two and four's opponents they cut behind them and receive the pass from number five.

A bounce pass often works very well, as it enables the players cutting in to put on speed or slow up if necessary.

Number five swings out to the side on which he passed, for turn pass in case the play is not properly timed. The timing is the important part of this play but with enough practice and the players working together it can be successfully executed a large percentage of the time.

In case the play is not able to go through as planned, the ball should be passed to numbers one or three, who have cut to the side of the court. This prevents the ball from being forfeited to the opponents for taking more than the five seconds on out-of-bound play.




OUT-OF-BOUND PLAY.

# TERRE HAUTE IS BUSY THESE DAYS

## Secure Help from Indians for 1925 Race.

BY RALPH H. WHITE.

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 8—"Bigger Jim" Elliott is a Tot.

The giant southpaw slabbist was purchased by the Terre Haute club at the meeting of the National Baseball association at Hartford, Conn., according to Secretary Ross Harriott on his return to our midst Saturday afternoon.

Elliott, who finished the '24 season with the Tots, cost the club a neat sum, although he was grabbed off only after the San Antonio club of the Texas league had shaved its demands exactly in two. Bob Coleman, ex-Tot skipper, is the gent behind the gun at San Antonio.

Jim, who since his marriage to a Terre Haute girl, has been making this city his home, is more than pleased with his sale to the Tots and is expected to sign for the coming campaign without delay and plunge into the task of rounding into shape for the pennant hunt.

To the side wheeler it means a job, as he is no less than 50 pounds overweight, and maybe then some.

MOLLY MEIS TRADED.

Another deal put over by the trio of Tot officials at the minor pow wow brought about the departing of Molly Meis, right hander. Molly was traded to the Norfolk, Va., club for Pitcher C. Gillenwater, who last season pitched 10 straight victories. Gillenwater is a big right handed twirler with an underhand delivery. The Norfolk club has been after Meis for a couple of years as it was with that outfit that Molly pitched his first pro baseball.

A third transaction consummated at the eastern conflab will bring to Terre Haute a pair of fly grabbers, a pitcher and a catcher from the Cleveland American league club. They will be selected by Tris Speaker's scouts and will be of the bunch of players who by sterling play last season attracted attention that caused them to be hooked for spring consideration. The twirler may be "Lefty" Clark, the side wheeler who finished with such a flourish with the Peoria Tractors.

On his return, the Tot secretary found the signed contract of Catcher "Todd" Wilbur on his desk. Wilbur was signed by Pitcher Bill Francis, who predicts a bright future for the young backstop. Wilbur's home is at Indianapolis.

# Racing Notes

New Orleans racing officials have revoked the license of J. A. Mooney and barred the horse, Arabian, on account of the race last week in which Cloister, ridden by Mergler, was beaten by Arabian with Mooney in the saddle. Mooney is charged with locking his leg against that of Mergler in a close finish, thereby holding him back.

The Mooney who is barred from riding at New Orleans is not Black Gold's rider. His name is J. D. Mooney and his reputation is excellent. He does not ride very often, but when he does his employer knows that his horse will get a good ride. Mrs. Hoots paid J. D. Mooney enough for riding Black Gold this year to keep him going for some time.

Charles Henry ran a fine race at New Orleans Saturday and was only beaten a neck with 10 to 1 against him. The chart of the race shows that he led nearly to the finish. Probably someone rattled some silver and Charles Henry stopped, looked and listened long enough to lose.

During the racing season in Kentucky $1,673,523 was distributed among horsemen at the Latonia, Louisville and Lexington meetings. Most of the money was won by Kentucky owners and the Eastern horses that won were many of them bred in Kentucky—for instance, Sarazen, winner of the Third International, worth $33,500. Maybe the Missouri Legislature will some day do something for the fading horse-breeding interests of this state.

B. A. Jones, Parnell, Mo., owner of one of the few surviving breeding farms in Missouri, is an arrival at New Orleans from Tia Juana. He might visit all of the race tracks in the country and find a representative of his farm at each, most of them named to in some way indicate their sire was Seth.

# PEDDY RENEWS HIS FIGHT ON MAYFIELD

Washington, Dec. 8—The senate elections sub-committee hearing the contest against Senator Mayfield, Democrat, Texas, was called today to hear witnesses on the charge of George B. Peddy, defeated opponent of Mayfield of fraud and intimidation in the election two years ago.

On the basis of evidence of eight witnesses, selected by Peddy from Navarro and Burleson counties, the committee will decide whether to reopen the hearings to go into this phase of the charges brought to unseat Mayfield.

After extensive hearings last spring, the committee found the evidence did not uphold Peddy's charge of excessive expenditures in the election campaign.

# M'NAUGHT TO LEAD BRADLEY GRID TEAM

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 8.—Eugene McNaught, 240 pound guard on the Bradley football team, was chosen by his team mates at a banquet Saturday night to captain the 1925 eleven. McNaught, a Gridley, Ill., boy, played his third season on the team this year. Twenty players were awarded letters and sweaters. They were:

Capt. Simineski, Barrett, Zierton, Correll, Friedrich, Wallace, McNaught, Noepping, Carter, Pope, Cravens, Decremer, Rirle, Shepherd, Carlson, Baxter, Thompson, Gebhardt, Becker.

Club Volleyball.

The Y. M. C. A. club volleyball tournament will continue Tuesday night with two contests. The Rotary team will play the Optimists at 7 o'clock, and the Kiwanians will meet the Lions at 7:30. The Rotarians and the Kiwanians were the winners in last week's games.

# KINCAID MAN UNDER GUARD IN HOSPITAL

## Faces Six Serious Charges Under Indictment.

Taylorville, Dec. 8—Lawrence Farrell, 58 of Kincaid has been arrested on a bench warrant issued out of the circuit court and is held under the constant guard of deputies in his room at the St. Vincent hospital.

Farrell was indicted by the grand jury on six counts of a most serious nature, three for crime against nature and three for a crime against children.

BROTHERS JAILED.

Bert and Roy Ring, brothers were placed in the county jail following their arrest Friday night by Sheriff Andrew Flesher.

Bert Ring was arrested for the possession of booze.

Roy Ring was arrested for contributing to the delinquency of a minor girl. A warrant was issued in Magistrate O. B. Hewitt's court. The offense is alleged to have been committed a year ago.

It is charged against Roy and "Froggy" Davis who also is in jail that Ring introduced the girl to Davis and that the latter assaulted her.

LUNCHES FOR STUDENTS.

The Junior High school P.-T. A. has made arrangements with Mrs. T. J. Muller to serve lunch to the Junior high school students who are not able to go home at noon.

The Rev. H. W. McPherson of Springfield, superintendent of the Springfield district, preached a very impressive sermon at the Methodist church Sunday morning.

O. E. S. OFFICERS.

Mrs. Anna Johnston has been elected worthy matron of Haslemere chapter, Order of Eastern Star for the ensuing year.

Other officers elected follow:

Worthy patron—Boyd Dappert.

Associate matron—Mrs. H. Gallagher.

Conductress—Miss Christine Esslinger.

Associate Conductress—Mrs. Faith Culler.

Secretary—Mrs. Dorothy Lakin.

Treasurer—Mrs. John Scott.

CLUB PROGRAM.

Mrs. John Kimball will be hostess to the music department of the woman's club Monday evening. The following program will be given:

Travelogue—Mrs. S. B. Herdman.

Touring Egypt— Miss Mary Duncan.

Myths and Legends—Miss Alta Harrison.

Musical Background—Miss Bessie Winslow.

Dance (costume)—Misses Hunt and Kimball.

Solo—Mrs. S. B. Bentley.

Instrumental solo—Mrs. Ida Snider.

Solo—Miss Charlotte Daykin.

HOME ECONOMICS.

The Home Economics Department of the Woman's club will meet with Mrs. John Keller Tuesday. The following program will be given:

Leader—Mrs. Homer Martin.

Decorating the Home for Christmas—Mrs. T. J. Black.

Benefits of Community Christmas Tree—Mrs. T. E. Habin.

Christmas Carols by Keynote club.

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# BAIT — FOR — BUGS

By H. V. Millard

But two cities in the Three Eye League are without managers for the 1925 campaign—Peoria and Decatur. The other clubs are getting the jump on the above named two and if either are to get any place next season some good licks will have to be put in, within the next few weeks.

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Both cities have legitimate excuses—Peoria on account of the unsettled conditions of baseball through the resignation of the officers and directors of the Fans' association and the other over the park situation.

When Decatur gets a municipal athletic field then all sports will be insured of a home.

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Says Fred Turck in The Peoria Star:

"Ever since Millikin invaded Peoria for the Turkey Day strugles with Robie's Indians the local fans have been discussing Le Johnson's possibilities for a championship club next season. Considering the fact that a majority of the gridders were freshmen this season the Blue and White school should have a "wham" of a team next season. Bradley, with all its seasoned veterans, had a tough time to down the Big Blue machine."

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"Leo is to be praised for his wonderful work at Millikin during the football season" just closed. Taking hold of the school athletics where others had dumped it the former Hilltop assistant awakened Millikin alumni and the sport fans of Decatur with a real club. Millikin picked a live-wire when they selected Johnson as coach, and if he continues at his present clip the Decatur institution will be feared by all in the Little 19."

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Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haffner have returned from an auto trip to Cleveland, where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Chamberlain. The Decatur folks expected to witness the Cleveland-Buffalo game a week ago Sunday but it was called off on account of the weather.

Ed didn't put much stock in the title game in Chicago yesterday, pointing to the fact the Bears had been defeated by Green Bay and Cleveland while the Chamberlain had lost but one contest and that to the Philadelphia Yellow Jackets.

The Decatur druggist doesn't understand the ways of the publicity men when it comes to attracting the crowds.

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Can you imagine Chicago and Illinois playing for a grid title late in November with one of the schools or the scribes forgetting how many games one of the teams had lost during the season.

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The Association of Commerce of Terre Haute has endorsed the name of Ross Harriott for president of the Three Eye League showing that he stands well in his home city as a baseball official.

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Walter Camp watches the pro perform in Chicago Sunday. Here is hoping that the veteran critic doesn't get some of the post graduates on his 1925 All American.

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Says the Peoria Journal:

"Pres. John Ryan of the Peoria Fans association didn't arrive home as expected last evening from the National-Minor league baseball meeting that was held in Hartford, Conn., last Tuesday and Wednesday. It's a tough proposition for Ryan to break away from his friend Al Tearney and it is only a mere possibility the Peoria leader will be back in the city Sunday. He may return today and then again next Saturday might be a good guess also."

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Dan Brannan, the Roosevelt High school athlete, who has been a very sick boy for the last two weeks, is showing signs of improvement and there is every reason to feel that he is now on the road to recovery.

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Here's one for the book. Returning good for evil. Read it and weep. From The Bradley Tech:

Last Thanksgiving day at the game a litle boy was standing at the gate bitterly crying. Big hearted Coach Robertson went up to him and asked:

"What's the matter, little boy? Lose something?"

"Yes," between sobs, "I lost a quarter."

"Well, here's a quarter. How did you come to lost it?"

"Betting on Millikin."

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The Notre Dame basketball team must play about seven games with only one letter man on the team by virtue of the fact captain Kizer and the other N. D. men will be with the football team for the Coast game Jan. 1.

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John B. Foster, the baseball authority, learned at the Hartford convention that Charlie Dressen was not going to run Pinelli off third base for the Reds. Here is his story on it.

"Pinelli will play third base for Cincinnati next season. This will be a welcome bit of news to those who like to see true merit rewarded. There has been much talk about Dressen, the St. Paul star, playing third for the Reds and the fans have been wondering why, as Pinelli has been making a showing at third without many equals. To take him away from the job would be incredible with Cincinnati needing all the infielding it can get. Jack Hendricks promises faithfully now that Pinelli will play third. But he does not say who will play short. Maybe it will be Dressen, maybe Critz.

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# JOHNSON WILL ARRANGE CHART

## Of I. I. A. C. Games Friday At Peoria.

The 1925 Millikin football chart will not be in any kind of shape until after the annual I. I. A. C. meeting at Peoria on Friday, according to athletic director Leo Johnson, who returned early Sunday morning from the Big Ten meeting in Chicago.

The blue and white school, like practically all the minor colleges in Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa and Minnesota will not appear on any Big Ten charts. The Western conference has a rule that prevents the meeting of any school that does not have a one year residence rule. The one semester rule such as in force in the Mid-West conference does not suffice.

When it comes to scheduling preliminary games, Indiana is about the only state where minor colleges comply with the one year rule, hence Wabash, Depauw and Butler are in demand.

THREE GAMES SETTLED.

There are but three I. I. A. C. members that Millikin must meet in 1925 Illinois Wesleyan is to come here, while Millikin must go to Rock Island to meet Augustana. The blue also has Charleston Normal to play, the game to be here if on Thanksgiving Day and at Charleston if on another day.

Bradley is of course anxious to meet Millikin, but desires the Johnson team to come to Peoria on Thanksgiving Day, making the third straight season for the blue invading Peoria. Just what director Johnson will do in regard to meeting the Tech in 1925 is known only to himcordil host to those who ell to see it

HAS OTHER OFFERS

There is a possibility that Depauw University of Greencastle, Ind will be on the J. M. C. chart next season in a regular contest. Guy Morrison the Depauw director, is consilding the game very seriously. Johnson was also talking with Coach Savage of St. Louis U. but there is not much chance of the two teams meeting next year. Johnson would like to have his eleven free Washington U. next year as well as take a trip down south for a contest.

After the I. I. A. C. meeting football will have to be put on the shelf for a time at least while the cagers have full sway. The squad starts today in the final week of drill before leaving Friday for Chicago and Milwaukee to meet Armour and Marquette. Armour is meeting Notre Dame tonight and will have an idea on the locals.

GRID MEN FEED.

The letter men of the football squad, Coaches Johnson and Sutherd and a few invited guests were entertained to a fine chicken dinner at the Kappa Delta Chi fraternity home Sunday noon. It was the work of F. S. Flemming, the president of the Arthur extension department of the University. Mr. Flemming was in hopes of the boys eating turkey this year and had they been able to down Knox it would have been provided. However, it would have been hard to improve on the menu provided Sunday.

Following the meal Coach Johnson thanked Mr. Flemming on behalf of the team as well as the Decatur press for its co-operation this season. He outlined the plans for next year and asked every man on the squad to make a great effort to return in 1925

# Walter Camp Watches Bears Trim Cleveland

## Halas Downs Chamberlain Before 18,000 Fans at Cub Park—Score 23 to 0.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 8—Another football championship came to Chicago Sunday afternoon. The Bears romped to the 1924 professional championship by walloping the Cleveland Bulldogs, 23 to 0 before 18,000 persons at Cubs' Park.

Among the spectators was the father, or at least the stepfather of football, Walter Camp. He displayed keen interest in the battle and was rewarded by seeing a game that while it was decided by a wide margin, was a nip and tuck affair until the final quarter, when the Bears unleashed their full power and amassed 16 of their 23 points.

EVEN FOR THREE PERIODS.

For three periods the teams had battled and had it not been for the fine work of "Little Joe" Sternaman in the second quarter [illegible] series of brilliant plays [illegible] squirmed over the line for a touchdown and then kicked [illegible] there would have been but little to choose between the rivals.

The contest was a mixture of running, kicking and aerial attack [illegible] the most part the field generals exercised excellent judgment in selection of plays. But the [illegible] defensive generated by both elevens compelled frequent kicking.

HANNY STARTS

In this respect Hoge Workman formerly of Ohio State had something of an edge on Hanny for the first three periods but in the final smash Hanny's leg developed [illegible] power and he carried close to an even split on the [illegible] honors.

Not only did "Little Joe" [illegible] his way to a touchdown in the second period, but he [illegible] excellent average of a field [illegible] game for the season by [illegible] dropkick between the [illegible] first score in the fourth period [illegible] the 22 yard line.

During the first quarter [illegible] the Bears and Wall[illegible] dogs had a punting duel [illegible] near the end of the period [illegible] booted a long kick [illegible] three yards [illegible] Workman [illegible] who ran it back twenty [illegible] Cleveland [illegible] ended.

After an exchange [illegible] man got away with [illegible] ful pass. Work[illegible] a 20-yard gain [illegible] dogs were getting [illegible] quist intercepted a [illegible] 25 yard line.

JOE GAINS THIRTY YARDS

[illegible] after which Joey Sternaman intercepted a pass at his own [illegible] line. Near the end of the [illegible] Sternaman made a spectacular [illegible] of thirty yards reversing [illegible] pletely baffling a sweep [illegible] Joe failed at a place kick from the 45-yard line as the half ended.

Noble of Nebraska made [illegible] pearance in the third [illegible] started in on [illegible]

[illegible] from the [illegible] punted [illegible] the [illegible] yard line [illegible] kicked [illegible] line [illegible] touchdown.

[illegible] off on the [illegible] yard line [illegible] from [illegible] own [illegible] kick [illegible] yards for a [illegible] yard [illegible] two plays Walquist [illegible] for twenty-seven yards [illegible] making a [illegible] yards [illegible]

WALQUIST [illegible]

[illegible]

Decatur on the worst [illegible] year.

Millikin the two coaches and Mr. Flemming were given a big hand to set the party to keep up.

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# BASKETBALL ON AT UNIVERSITY

## Intramural Teams Getting Into Action.

Intramural basketball is well under way at James Millikin and the athletic program at the university furnishes plenty of action in the basketball line for the girls as well as the men. In the latter group there are twelve teams competing and they will play a series of games before the Christmas holidays. Two games in the men's division were played Saturday afternoon in the gym, with the Dark Horses being defeated 24 to 8 by the Wilson Cafeteria, and the Apaches trimming the Indians, 24 to 12.

Other games are scheduled for every day in the week, some games coming in the afternoons while most of them are to be played at night. The teams have taken various names and in addition to those named above there are the Ultra-Speeds, Horse Shoes, Egyptians, Hells Bells, T B's Sea Hawks, Cow Boys and the Red Devils.

GIRLS' DIVISION.

In the girls' division the play has not yet started, however six teams have been picked and the captains are to be named as soon as meetings are held. The members of the teams are as follows:

Team 1—Marjorie Neilson, Ferrol Leseman, Adelia Metzger, Margaret Parkinson, Lois Beago, Helen Phillips, Mary Burket, Louise Schuman, G. Cannon.

Team 2—Helen Hayes, Maurine Brock, Lucille Quickel, Helen Clements, Doris Kelley, Helen Scurlock, Besse Hodgson, Irma Perbix, Florence Behrens.

Team 3—Frances Mount, Marjorie Maddox, Ruth Riggs, Frances Flint, Roberta Shields, Lucille Challie, M. Bailey, M Storm, Virginia Smith.

Team 4—Janice Richeson, Maurine Golden Joyce Coffee, Martha Dewey, Marjorie Sullivan, Clementine Johnson, V. Davis, Verna Marvel.

Team 5—Helen Holdaway, Elizabeth Hartman, Catherine Engelder, Candice Mills, Josephine Higman, Leona Proctor, Genieve Mountz, Dorothy King.

Team 6—Margaret Lancaster, Loufee Givens, Margaret Hornback, Mildred Redmore, Zo Traver, Catherine Scurlock, Meta Eilers, Bernice Metzler Dorothy Edwards.

Play in the girls' division probably will be started right away and the games scheduled so that they will not conflict with the play in the other tournament.

# ROOSEVELT SQUAD TO BE BANQUETED

## Leo Johnson Will Address Juniors Tuesday.

Members of the Roosevelt Junior High school football team will be the guests of honor at a banquet given them Tuesday evening by the Hi-Y club of the school.

Coach Kintner and his squad will be seated at 6:30 o'clock in the dining room of the school together with a few invited guests.

Leo Johnson, athletic director of Millikin university will be the principal speaker of the evening while Freeland Harrold, 1924 captain of Decatur High will also give a talk as will Coach Gay Kintner and Captain Ralph Fowler of the Roosevelt team.

Former Coach McClave has been in charge of the arrangements for the affair and the boys are looking forward to a real evening of pleasure.

# WAYNESVILLE IS TOURNEY WINNER

## Takes Invitational Meet At Kenney.

Kenney, Ill, Dec. 8—The Waynesville High school five won the invitational basketball tournament here Saturday by defeating the locals 32 to 8 in the championship game. Wikle was too much for the local defense to stop and he scored eight field goals

Wapella took third place by downing Weldon 29 to 18. In the first round of games Waynesville downed Wapella 20 to 12 while Kenney defeated Weldon 23 to 12.

NIGHT GAMES.

| Waynesville | FG | FT. | TP. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wikle, forward | 8 | 2 | 18 |
| Dagley, forward | 2 | 1 | 5 |
| Shelby, center | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Casey, guard | 3 | 2 | 8 |
| Grumfield, forward | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 13 | 6 | 32 |

| Kenny | FG. | FT. | TP. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Myers, forward | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| Kennedy, forward | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Todd, center | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Abner, guard | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dement, guard | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 3 | 2 | 8 |

| Wapella | FG. | FT. | TP. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Abell, forward | 7 | 3 | 17 |
| Greed, forward | 5 | 0 | 10 |
| Moore, center | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Reynolds, guard | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Woolen, guard | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 13 | 3 | 29 |

| Weldon | FG. | FT. | TP. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tilbury, forward | 4 | 0 | 8 |
| Meredith, forward | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Peacock, center | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Gaken, guard | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Kenser, guard | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 9 | 0 | 18 |

**Basketball Tourney.**

All troop entry blanks for the Boy Scout basketball tournament to be held the last of this month, must be in to Boy Scout headquarters by Dec. 20, if the troop wishes to be in the tournament.

**Scout Hike.**

An all city Boy Scout hike is to be taken Saturday. It is hoped that there will be a large crowd of boys for this hike. Each boy should bring food enough for one meal. They will meet at the Y. M. C. A. Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

# See Little Chance Of Tax Slice

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taxes. Any further reduction of Federal taxation and any change in the existing revenue system is quite certain to have to wait at least until after June 30 next, and perhaps for some months after that date.

ANOTHER CHANNEL.

But if the government at Washington can not readily make a further reduction of taxes in the immediate future there is another agency of taxation that can. On Jan. 1, or within a few days thereafter, a large number of state legislatures will come into session. It is these state legislatures that there is both the need and the opportunity for reducing taxes to a greater extent than exists at Washington. For several years past, while Washington has been making drastic reductions, the state legislatures have been steadily raising the amount of taxes they collect from the people.

The Under-Secretary of Treasury, Garrard V. Winston, has computed carefully what the state legislatures are doing, and shows that the states and local municipalities have increased taxes every year since 1913. In 1913 the per capita tax laid by states, counties, and local municipalities was $20, on the average for every man, woman, and child in the country. In 1919 it rose to $27. In 1920 to $30. In 1921 to $36. In 1922 to $38. The figures for 1923 and 1924 are not yet available, but Mr. Winston says that "later figures will undoubtedly show further increases." The chief reason for these increases in state, county and city taxes, are the immense borrowings of money on long-term bonds.

BONDS ARE ISSUED.

Consequently the increases which the state legislatures and the counties are making in local taxes are not merely for the present but necessarily will continue so long as the payments of interest and principal on these newly issued bonds continue The states, counties and cities are issuing these bonds just now at the rate of a billion dollars a year.

It is a fact that the treasury and also President Coolidge regard these state increases in local taxes as serious. President Coolidge made pointed allusion to the subject in his recent address to congress. And yet, in two ways, congress is stimulating the states to further expenditure Congress does not lay any federal taxes on bonds issued by states and other local divisions of government

TO THE RICH.

The consequences is these bonds are attractive to very rich people, and this fact results in a steady temptation for the issue of these bonds to local governments. Even more directly, congress stimulates these large borrowings by the states by subsiding them. Congress appropriates a certain amount of money for road-building in the states on the condition that the states themselves raise equivalent amounts. The consequence is that states, eager to get the federal money, issue bonds themselves. This year the amount of money which congress proposes to pay out in order to subsidize and stimulate road building by the states is about eighty million dollars, which is more than twice the amount congress appropriated for this purpose last year. So long as the states take advantage of these subsidies from congress they are apt to go on issuing more bonds and raising more taxes. Some state governors, and many thoughtful people in the states, are beginning to see the fundamental character of this process. The newly elected governor of Connecticut, Hiram Bingham, speaking of these appropriations made by the federal government, conditional on similar expenditures by the state government, said:

DEPLORE TENDENCY.

"We deplore the tendency of taking the people's money to bribe some states to do things which they would not otherwise think worthwhile, and which may not be in accordance with the wishes of their citizens. We do not believe in increasing the powers of the central government. We do believe in increasing the responsibilities of the individual citizen. We believe in the power of communities to decide their local problems. We believe that healthy political life deepens on strong local governments rather than in the wisdom of powerful bureaus at Washington."

It is within the power of each state to take the position that Governor Bingham defines, and the fact is an increasing number of states are doing so. During the first week of January a very large number of state legislatures will come into session. It is with them and not with congress that there exists both the need and the opportunity for a real reduction in the amount of taxes now being paid by the citizens of the United States.

# DEMAND SLAYER OF FIVE BE HANGED

Wheaton, Ill., Dec. 8—State's Attorney C. W. Reed of Dupage county, in demanding the death penalty for John Kammerer, thirty-eight, charged with the murders of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Eder and their three children of Villa Park, today told the jury that jurors and judges with enough backbone to impose death penalties can put a stop to murders in Illinois where crime has made great headway in recent years because of miscarriages of justice."

# ST. LOUIS TONG MEMBER KILLED

St. Louis, Dec. 8—The Chinese tong war, which has taken more than a score of lives in recent months, tonight claimed Lem Gow, 65, laundrymen who was fatally wounded near a building where guests were assembled at a feast in honor of a Chinese baby's naturalization.

He was one of the few members of the Hip Sing tong known to reside here.

# SCHOOLGIRL WIFE

Mrs. John Carrigan of Providence, R. I., has been ordered to go to school two more years by the truant officer. She's only thirteen.

# In The Schools

E. A. GASTMAN.

Members of the Mothers' and Fathers' Clubs will have a joint meeting Friday evening at 7 30 in the E A. Gastman school at which time Superintendent J. J. Richeson and the Board of Education will be special guests. The meeting is held in order that the parents and board members may become acquainted with each other. Miss Mayne Irons, director of music, will sing and the E.A. Gastman school orchestra will play for the first time before members of the Mothers' and Fathers' Clubs. A full attendance is desired.

DENNIS.

Miss Hoots of the Dennis school, who has been ill for the last week in her home, has resumed her duties at the school. Miss Hendee of the Dennis school is ill and Mrs E N Eagleton is taking her place.

ULLRICH.

Dr W. S Keister will talk to the Mothers' Club of the Ullrich school Friday afternoon at 3 30 following the business meeting of the mothers at 3 o'clock. The primary children from Miss Martin's room of the school will sing Christmas carols. The mothers will also plan their annual Christmas treat for the children at the Friday meeting.

RIVERSIDE.

The Fathers' Club of the Riverside school will meet Monday night in the school.

JASPER.

Members of the Mothers' Club of the Jasper school will have their regular meeting Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the school.

OGLESBY.

Donald Gibbs will tell of his experiences in Japan, especially of the earthquake, at the meeting of the Mothers' Club of the Oglesby school Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the school. Mrs. H W Marxmiller and Mrs. Forrest Wikoff will give two duets and Mrs. Marxmiller will sing a solo. Miss Crosno's room will sing several Christmas songs.

# A. M. THRIFT DIES IN MACON, MO.

**Body To Be Brought To Decatur For Burial.**

A. M. Thrift, formerly of Decatur, died Sunday at the sanatorium in Macon, Mo. The body will be brought back to Decatur for burial. C. A. Thrift, brother, went to Macon Monday afternoon after the body.

Mr. Thrift had been at the sanatorium for some time. He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Mary Weldon of Centralia and Mrs. C. McKinney of Alton, and one brother, C. A. Thrift of Decatur.

# LATE NEWS FLASHES

**San Francisco, Dec. 8—L. G. Griffing, general chairman of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers announced here today that the engineers and firemen of the Chicago and Alton road are taking a strike vote.**

# FINE BOOTLEGGERS LIKE CLOCKWORK

Peoria, Ill, Dec. 8—Bootlegger fines were clipped off at the rate of $40 a minute for ninety minutes in federal court here this morning as Judge Louis Fitzhenry added $3,600 in fines and thirty-five months jail sentences to the terms total when seventeen pleas of guilty were made in liquor law violations. Total fines for the term now stand at $12,101 and 187 months in county jail sentences with activities continuing through the noon hour without halt.

# SANITARY DISTRICT CASE IN COURT

Washington, Dec 8—The Chicago sanitary district case involving the removal of water from Lake Michigan, was called for argument in the supreme court today with government counsel being assisted by Representatives of states bordering the Great Lakes except Illinois.

On the other side were marshalled lawyers representing the sanitary district, Illinois, Chicago, Missouri, Tennessee and Louisiana and various commercial and manufacturing associations of the Mississippi Valley.

## Toledo Seeds.

Toledo, Dec. 8 — CLOVER SEED CASH old, 19.00; new and December 19.15; February and March 19 35.

TIMOTHY—seed cash and December 3 25; March 3.40

## Metal Markets.

New York, Dec. 8—COPPER—Steady, electrolytic spot and futures 14⅛c.
TIN—Easy, spot and futures $55 00.
IRON—Irregular 1 northern $23 50@25 00, 2 northern $22 50@23 50, 2 southern $19 50@20 00.
LEAD—Steady, spot $8 65@9 00
ZINC—Steady, East St. Louis spot $0 97@7.00
ANTIMONY—Spot $14 37.

NEW YORK SILVER.

New York Dec 8—Bar silver 69⅝c, Mexican dollars, 53⅛s.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

New York, Dec 8—Foreign exchange irregular.
Great Britain demand $4.69½.
Cables $4 70¼.
France demand 5.40½.
Italy demand 4.31¼.
Belgium demand 4 94½
Germany demand 23 81
Holland 40 43.
Norway 15.01.
Sweden 26 95
Denmark 17.75
Switzerland 19 37
Spain 13 92
Greece 1 82
Poland 19⅛.
Czecho-Slovakia 3 01¼
Argentine and Brazil [illegible]
Tokio 38⅝.
Montreal 99 27-32

MONEY MARKET

New York Dec 8—Call money firmer, high, closing bid last loan 3½ low, ruling rate 3 offered at 3¾ call loans against acceptances 2½, time loans steady, mixed collaterals 60-90 days 3¼@3½; 4-6 months 3½@3¾; prime commercial paper 3¾.

HORSES AND MULES.

St Louis, Dec. 8—Native Horse Quotations—Good to choice drafts, $125@175, medium to good drafts $85@125, good to choice chunks, $60@85, medium to good chunks, $40@60; choice Southern horses, $30@45; fair to good Southern horses $30@45; smooth-mouthed Southerners, $20@30, plugs, $5@15.

Native Mule Quotations—Draft mules, 16 to 17 hands, $175@225, sugar mules 16 to 16 2 hands $165@200; mine mules, 15 to 15.2 hands $125@150, top cotton mules, 15 2 to 16 hands, $140@175; cotton mules, 15 to 15 2 hands, $80@140, small, cheap mules, $25@65.

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## FUNERALS

Mrs Julia Moody—At Monson chapel 10 o'clock Tuesday. Burial in Macon cemetery.

Mrs. Nancy Sailors—Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 at Church of God on South Broadway. Burial in Greenwood.

# CHICAGO HOG PRICES STEADY

## Receipts 83,000—Top At $9.60—Cattle Uneven,

Chicago, Dec. 8—HOGS—83,000; steady; weighty butchers firm; big packers inactive; to 9 60, bulk 225 to 310 pounds butchers 9 25@9.55; 140 to 170 pounds 6.50@8.00; packing sows 8.60@8 80; strong weight slaughter pigs 5 50@6.00; heavy hogs 9 25@9.60; mediums 8.35@9.60, light 7 00@8 90; light lights 5.25@7 65; packing hogs smooth 8 60@8.90, rough 8.40@8 60; slaughter pigs 5.00@6 25.

CATTLE—34,000, fed steer trade uneven; better grades yearling strong unevenly higher; long fed bullocks mostly 15@25c lower; long yearlings of out standing quality to shippers 14.50; others around 14.00; bulk yearlings 11.50@13 50, she stock slow; vealers 25@50c off, bulk to packers 9.00 downward; most 8 50@9 00.

SHEEP—20,000; slow; fat lambs strong, bulk fat natives and fed westerns 15 00@15.25; early top 15.50, best 15.75, best bid 15 60; handy fat ewes 8.00@8.50; feeding lambs 15@25c higher; choice sixty pound averages 15.25.

## Kansas City Livestock.

Kansas City, Dec. 8—CATTLE—Receipts 27,500 slow, few early sales fed steers $8 75@9.00; steady, calves weak to 50c lower, practical veal top $9.00, top feeders $7.25, bulk cows and heifers $2.65@4 25

HOGS—Receipts 13,000; uneven, 10c higher, than Saturday's average, packer and shipper top $9.35, bulk sales, $9.00@9 25 packing sows $8.60@8 85.

SHEEP—Receipts 5 000; killers 25c higher; fed lambs $14 65 better grades natives and fed lots $14.25@14 60, feeding lambs $14 25@14.50.

## Indianapolis Live Stock.

Indianapolis Dec, 8—HOGS—Receipts, 7 000 35c higher, heavies $9 40@9.60, lights $8.95@9.10, top $9 85

CATTLE—Receipts 7,000 steady; steers $5.50@9 50; cows and heifers $3.50@9 50; veals $7.00@11.00

SHEEP—Receipts, 250, steady, sheep nominal, lambs, $8 00@15 00

## Peoria Live Stock.

Peoria, Ill, Dec 8—HOGS—Receipts 1-500, active steady, top $9.30; lights $7.10@8 85, mediums $8 75@9 25, heavies $9 15@9 30, packer $8 00@8 75.

CATTLE—Receipts light, steady; calf top $9.50.

## Cleveland Live Stock.

Cleveland, Dec. 8—(Bower & Bower report)—HOGS—Receipts 9,000; market higher on good weight hogs, trade slow on light hogs top $9 50, pigs, $6.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 2,000.
CALVES—Receipts 700.
CATTLE—Receipts, 1 500.

## East St. Louis Live Stock.

East St Louis, Dec. 8—HOGS—Receipts 13 000; 10c higher top $9.60; bulk 100 to 220 pounds butchers $9.10@9 30, pigs, slow 25c lower; $6.00@6 75; packer sows $8.75

CATTLE—Receipts, 9,500; steers slow; few $7.00@10 00; canners, 15c lower, $2 00@2.35; top light vealers $10.50, others mostly $10 00

SHEEP—Receipts 1 000; strong; top lambs $14 50, culls $10.50@11.00, best light ewes $8.00@8.25.

# PROFESSIONALS DEBATE COURSE

## Sterling Exchange Is Encouragement to Longs.

New York, Dec. 8—Stocks moved within a narrow range at the opening of today's market with a resumption of profit-taking in spots giving an irregular tone to trading The main trend however appeared to be upward. Most of the leading speculative shares were well supported, Baldwin moving up a point.

GAINS SCORED.

With buying orders distributed over a wide assortment of shares, gains of 1 to 4 points were scored by a number of southwestern rails and high priced specialties. The more influential issues however continued to yield to the pressure of realizing sales. U. S. Steel, American Can and Union Pacific receded fractionally and General Electric dropped 1½ Some of the outstanding strong spots were General Baking, up 4 points and U. S. Realty, which rallied 3½.

American Telephone shares were included in the list of sixteen high records established in the first half hour. Strength of sterling which reached a 1924 peak—above 4.70, featured the opening of the foreign exchange trading.

IRREGULAR COURSE.

The irregular course of prices during the morning reflected division of opinion among professional traders as to the trend of the market in the next few weeks. Operators on the long side derived some encouragement from the strength of sterling exchange and the report of the secretary of agriculture indicating another large increase in gross income for agricultural products in the crop year 1924-25. Many standard industrials lost ground

Independent strength was shown however by many issues, Nash Motors jumped six points, United Drug and American Express extended their gains 4 points each Omaha preferred, Fisher Body and International Harvester advanced 2 to 3½ points. Call money renewed at 3 percent.

The close was steady.

LAST SALES

| | |
|---|---|
| Allied Chemical & Dye | [illegible] |
| American Can | 148¾ |
| American Car & Foundry | 176 |
| American Locomotive | 86⅝ |
| American Smelting & Refining | 80¾ |
| American Sugar | 47 |
| American Tel & Tel | 132 |
| American Tobacco | 160 |
| American Water Works | [illegible] |
| American Woolen | [illegible] |
| Anaconda Copper | 41½ |
| Atchison | 116½ |
| Atlantic Coast Line | 145½ |
| Baldwin Locomotive | 123⅞ |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 75¼ |
| Bethlehemm Steel | 48½ |
| California Petroleum | 24¼ |
| Canadian Pacific | 152 |
| Central Leather pfd. | 51⅛ |
| Cerro de Pasco | 50½ |
| Chandler Motor | 32⅞ |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 91½ |
| Chicago & Northwestern | 74 |
| Chicago, Mil & St P. pfd | 29½ |
| Chicago R I & Pac. | 47 |
| Chile Copper | 34⅛ |
| Coca Cola | 81⅞ |
| Colorado Fuel | 80⅞ |
| Congoleum | 41¾ |
| Consolidated Gas | 78 |
| Corn Products | 41⅞ |
| Cosden Oil | 26⅛ |
| Crucible Steel | 72 |
| Cuba Cane Sugar pfd | 58¾ |
| Davison Chemical | 44½ |
| Du Pont de Nem | [illegible] |
| Erie | [illegible] |
| Famous-Players | [illegible] |
| General Asphalt | [illegible] |
| General Electric | [illegible] |
| General Motors | 71¼ |
| Great Northern pfd | 80⅞ |
| Gulf States Steel | 77⅝ |
| Houston Oil | [illegible] |
| Hudson Motors | [illegible] |
| Illinois Central | [illegible] |
| International Harvester | 105½ |
| International Merchant Marine pfd | [illegible] |
| Invincible Oil | [illegible] |
| Kelly-Springfield | [illegible] |
| Kennecott Copper | 51 |
| Lehigh Valley | 71½ |
| Louisville & Nashville | [illegible] |
| Mack Truck | [illegible] |
| Marland Oil | 38 |
| Maxwell Motors "A" | 77⅞ |
| Mexican Seaboard Oil | [illegible] |
| Missouri Kansas & Texas | 30⅞ |
| Missouri Pacific pfd | 70⅞ |
| Montgomery Ward | 44½ |
| National Biscuit | 71¼ |
| National Lead | [illegible] |
| New York Central | [illegible] |
| N Y N H & Hartford | 29⅜ |
| Norfolk & Western | 124½ |
| Nor. American | 42⅛ |
| Northern Pacific | 70⅛ |
| Pacific Oil | [illegible] |
| Pan Am. Pet "B" | [illegible] |
| Pennsylvania | 49½ |
| Phila & Rdg C & I | 47⅛ |
| Phillips Petroleum | [illegible] |
| Pure Oil | [illegible] |
| Reading | 69⅞ |
| Republic Iron & Steel | [illegible] |
| Reynolds Tobacco "B" | 77 |
| St. Louis & San Fran | 62⅞ |
| Seaboard Air Line | [illegible] |
| Sears Roebuck | [illegible] |
| Sinclair Consolidated | 16 |
| Sloss-Sheffield Steel | 81 |
| Southern Pacific | [illegible] |
| Southern Railway | 76⅞ |
| Standard Oil, Cal | 61⅛ |
| Standard Oil, N J | 37⅝ |
| Stewart Warner | 63 |
| Studebaker | 42⅞ |
| Texas Company | 47⅛ |
| Texas & Pacific | 48 |
| Tobacco Products | 71½ |
| Transcontinental Oil | 4 |
| Union Pacific | 149 |
| United Drug | [illegible] |
| U. S. Cast Iron Pipe | 139⅞ |
| U. S. Ind. Alcohol | 84 |
| U. S. Rubber | 30 |
| U. S Steel | 118⅛ |
| Utah Copper | 82⅛ |
| Wabash pfd "A" | [illegible] |
| Westinghouse Electric | 69⅜ |
| Willys-Overland | 10⅝ |
| Woolworth | 113¾ |

LIBERTY BONDS.

New York, Dec. 8—Liberty bonds closed:
3½s, 101.1.
First 4s, 101.16.
Second 4s, 100.30 bid
First 4¼s, 101.23.
Second 4¼s, 101.3.
Third 4¼s, 101.12.
Fourth 4¼s, 102.
New 4¼s, 105.17.

ST. LOUIS HAY.

St. Louis, Dec. 8—HAY—Receipts, 17 cars including 12 timothy, 3 clover-mixed 1 clover and 1 prairie; steady to firm; offerings moderate, Sales, Timothy—Part car No. 3 at $17.50, 1 car No. 2 at $18 1 car do (part light mixed at $20, 1 car standard at $21, 4 cars do at $22, 2 cars do at $23, 1 car No. 1 at $24. Clover-mixed—Part car No. 2 at $16, part car light mixed at $17.50, part car do at $18.50 Prairie—One car No. 1 at $17.50.

# CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

(Furnished by Lamson Bros. & Co.)

Chicago, Dec 8—Following is the range of prices with Saturday's close

| WHEAT— | Open | High | Low | Close | Sa |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dec | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | 158⅝ | 157 |
| May | [illegible] | 163 | [illegible] | 164 | [illegible] |
| July | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| CORN— | | | | | |
| Dec | 120 | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| May | 125 | [illegible] | 127 | 125 | [illegible] |
| July | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| OATS— | | | | | |
| Dec | [illegible] | [illegible] | 58 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| May | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| July | [illegible] | | 61 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| RYE— | | | | | |
| Dec | [illegible] | | 137 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| May | 140 | | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| LARD— | | | | | |
| Jan | | | | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| May | 16.50 | | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| RIBS— | | | | | |
| Jan | | | | | [illegible] |
| May | | | | [illegible] | [illegible] |

# WHEAT CLOSE RUNS FIRM

Chicago, Dec 8—All deliveries of corn rose today to a new high [illegible] record for the season. Unfavorable weather over the west led to increased buying and there were sensational crop damage reports from Argentine According to one [illegible] heavy rains in Argentine the next two weeks might produce half a [illegible] of corn but otherwise the damage [illegible] drought, frost and locust will be [illegible] calculable

Opening corn prices which ranged from ⅛ to 1⅜c higher [illegible] were followed by only minor setbacks from the initial maximum figures

Further strength developed [illegible] and the market closed [illegible] $1.26¾.

Wheat responded to bullish [illegible] advices and December delivery [illegible] $1.59, overtopped the season's previous peak quotations After opening ⅛@1⅜c up May $1.65¼ [illegible] and July $1.45⅝@¼ wheat scored [illegible] rate additional gains

Subsequently with a wave of speculative buying all deliveries of wheat established new highs for the season Despite heavy profit taking sales the market at the finish retained much of the advance The close was firm [illegible] May $1.64 [illegible] and July $1.44 [illegible]

Oats traders took their cue from other grain Prices of oats started at ¼c to 1c advance May [illegible] and later became steady at [illegible] ½c above Saturday's finish

Provisions were strong

## Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago Dec 8—WHEAT [illegible]

CORN—2 mixed [illegible] 2 yellow $1 22 [illegible] 4 white [illegible]

OATS—2 white [illegible]

RYE—2 $1 [illegible]
BARLEY—[illegible]
TIMOTHY [illegible]
CLOVER—[illegible]
LARD—$15 87
RIBS—$14 00
BELLIES—$15 [illegible]

## Kansas City Cash Grain.

Kansas City Dec 8—WHEAT [illegible]

CORN—2 white $1 13 [illegible]

OATS 2 white [illegible]

## Peoria Cash Grain.

Peoria, Ill Dec 8—CORN [illegible] yellow $1 18 [illegible] 3 mixed $1 10 4 mixed $1 15 [illegible] $1 13, sample $1 00

OATS—Receipts 10 [illegible] trading

## Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis Dec 8 WHEAT [illegible] 516 cars cash 1 northern [illegible] dark northern spring choice [illegible] 1 dark hard Montana [illegible] December $1 56⅞ [illegible] $1 61⅛

CORN—3 yellow $1 10 [illegible]
OATS—3 white [illegible]
FLOUR—Unchanged

## St. Louis Hay.

St Louis Dec 8—CASH WHEAT [illegible] red $1 72@1 76 [illegible]

CORN—4 white $1 17 [illegible] 1 19½

OATS—2 white 58@60 3 white 58c

CLOSE WHEAT—December $1 [illegible] $1 63½

CORN—December $1 19½ [illegible]
OATS—December [illegible]

REAL ESTATE LOANS

We are in position to handle loans on substantial residence or business properties in Decatur.

LOANS CLOSED PROMPTLY

ILLINOIS STANDARD TRUST CO.

Main 1250.
114 N. Water St.

# CORN AT $1.09; WHEAT $1.41

## Butterfat Lower; Poultry Declines.

[illegible]

Grain [illegible]

Live Stock [illegible]

Butter and Eggs [illegible]

Poultry [illegible]

Hides [illegible]

PRODUCE

## Chicago Produce.

[illegible]

## New York Produce.

[illegible]

NEW YORK SUGAR [illegible]

## New York Cotton.

[illegible]

[illegible]

CHICAGO CATS [illegible]

# Just What Everybody Wants—Read the "Christmas Gift Suggestions" and See!

# AGRICULTURE IN NEED OF MORE IMPROVEMENT

## Report Shows Conditions Best in Four Years.

Washington Dec 7—American agriculture on the whole occupies the best position it has held since 1 20 ... much further re o ... is required to bring it bac to its pre-war condition the Agriculture Department informed President Coolidge to day in its annual report

The report was prepared by the late Henry C. Wallace and embodies his views. It was signed and presented by the present Secretary Howard M Gore who was assistant secretary under Mr Wallace

### ... MILLION BOOST

Prospects are that the gross income from agricultural production for the crop year 1 24 25 may reach approximately $1,000,000,000 compared with $11 ... 000 00 in 1 23 24 and $9 ,50 000 000 in 1921 22 said the report A favorable readjustment has taken place in price ratios between agriculture and industry While the purchasing power of farm products is 18 percent below the pre-war level it is 16 percent above the index for May 1921 when the depression was in its worst period This year's harvest was the finest in five years though not the greatest in volume of products it was the best balanced and represented the best income

Yet it would be a mistake to conclude that the American farmer is done with the troubles of the depression period It the readjustment is left to blind economic forces it will be many years before that can be said Although farm commodity price levels are headed toward a better position they have still a large gain to make before agricultural products will be on a parity with other products This means that agriculture is still laboring under a heavy disadvantage

### IS STILL UNDER WAY

The improvement that has taken place has not yet lasted long enough to produce any marked betterment in the finances of the farmer As a matter of fact, the suffering of many farmers is perhaps as intense today as it was in the first years of the depression period because the effects of the depression are cumulative Present favorable possibilities will have to be turned into realities before it can fairly be said that agriculture again is enjoying normal prosperity Nevertheless the showing of 192 brings prosperity nearer

### WHEAT SITUATION

The outstanding event in the agricultural history of 1924 has been the wheat situation the report said Apparent surpluses of bread grains have been much reduced and the world's crop promises to be between ,00 000 ... and 3?0 000 000 bushels below that of last year

Exportable surpluses in the principal producing countries have been reduced and requirements of the importing countries have been increased The demand for wheat from the ... is ... bushels ... this year

When ... a large ... is pe... and a total crop larger ... is expected on a reduced acreage ... of foreign countries has brought about a market situation in which the American farmers are receiving higher prices for a larger crop Nevertheless the rise in the price of wheat has not yet sufficed to give a bushel of wheat its pre-war purchasing power While the wheat situation has greatly improved it has not yet reached a point where farmers should think no further readjustments are necessary It would be a mistake to suppose that the wheat acreage ... can be extended ... the ... of high prices

### LIVESTOCK

The livestock industry is on a more favorable foundation than at any time since the price collapse of 1919 and 2 , and the report although 1924 was not a year of good profits for cattle and hog producers Cattlemen have had a harder time than any other group of livestock producers Slow but steady liquidation has been ... on in the cattle industry for three years Today however many of the wartime loans with high interest rates have been paid Money is available on more favorable terms Conditions in the cattle country are improving and the prospective reduction in hog raising should strengthen the market for beef

Speaking of the tax burden of the farmer the report said too often the amount of the tax has little or no relation to the amount of the farmer's income Selling values of land which serve as a basis for taxation do not rest only on current earnings but also on anticipation of future earnings This often means that taxes have to be paid on fictitious values

# MOOSE LODGE HAS COUNCIL ELECTION

Mooseheart, Ill., Dec 8—The supreme council of the Loyal Order of Moose today announced the following changes in supreme council officials:

Supreme Secretary Rodney H Brandon, Mooseheart, becomes executive secretary, Supreme Dictator George H. Warde, Aurora, Ill., becomes supreme secretary and Thomas M Howell, Denver, becomes general dictator.

# RETIRE U. S. BOND ISSUE BEFORE 1930

## Treasury Reports Good Progress.

Washington Dec 8— Satisfactory progress was reported by the treasury Sunday on the first stage of its gigantic fiscal operation which by December 1? 19?? will require the retirement or the refunding of $8 044 12 ?49

The first step in the program was the funding of the treasury notes of 192- the third Liberty loan 4¼ per cent bonds and treasury certificates maturing March 15 next in connection with the offering announced last Monday of a new issue of 20 to 30 years 4 per cent bonds Assistant Secretary Dewey said today that exchanges of the early maturing securities for the new issue were being received in a way that assured success of the treasury's plan.

# WRIGLEY LOSES $1,741,000 SUIT

Chicago Dec 8 — Federal Judge Wilkerson today awarded the L T Larson Jr company a judgment of $1 741 000 against the William Wrigley Jr company in a trade mark suit that has long been pending between the two chewing gum manufacturing concerns

# SIXTY REDS SENT OVER FRENCH LINE

Paris Dec 8—(AP)—The French government's secret police have pushed sixty foreign Communist agents over the French frontiers and announced a policy of weeding out foreign agitators in line with Premier Herriot's belief that the menace of a Red peril comes rather from foreigners rather than from French Communists

All those deported were organizers of the Communist centuries or adherents of the Lenine Communist school at Pobigney where Red propaganda and plans for the disorganization of the Bourgeoisie was taught in the class rooms

# CHINESE BANDITS TAKE U. S. LAUNCH

Canton Dec 8—Forty eight Chinese teachers and students of Canton Christian college were kidnapped Saturday on board a launch flying an American flag while going from Canton to the college

Six bandits among the passengers of the launch overpowered the crew and after landing the captives sent the launch back to Canton with a foreign woman and several Chinese girls on board

The bandits ... island ... with the kidnapped ... ers and students

# FIND NO TRACE OF SOUTH BEND SLAYER

South Bend Ind Dec 8—Police Sunday night had found no trace of the unidentified robber who late Saturday ... Raymond L Moscl ... on M... when he shot and killed two ... and wounded five others in an attempted ... of a soft drink parlor here

### Under Cover

The ... (London) Husband (e... from ... angling trip)—What do you think of these beauties?

Wife—Don't try to deceive me Miss ... saw you in the fish shop

His ano—Of course she did Wife ... caught so many I simply had to sell 'em

# With "Ma"

Mrs G Frank Coffey of Fort Worth Tex probably will be secretary of state in the cabinet of Mrs Miriam A Ferguson first woman governor ... Texas Mrs Coffey is a successful business woman.

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87—Suburban for Sale
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# SHIPPING BOARD PROBE REOPENS

## Investigation Postponed Since Last June.

Washington, Dec 8—Investigation of the shipping board by the special committee of the house entered its final phase with the call of the committee to resume today the Washington hearings which were adjourned last June after a lengthy session of inquiry

The committee plans to get through its list of witnesses before the end of this month and report its conclusions and recommendations to the house as soon thereafter as possible There appears little prospect, however of any final legislative action on the recommendations at this session

# WOMAN DENIES POISON CHARGE

East St Louis Dec 8—Mrs Ida Miller, arrested Saturday, charged with the murder by poison of her husband yesterday in jail stoutly maintains her innocence She spoke with no attempt at concealment of her stay at the Illinois state hospital for the insane at Alton Ill from about a year ago until April. She asserted her husband planned to have her declared insane so he could divorce her

### Gentle Speech.

Tit-Bits (London) Two men were becoming abusive in the course of a political quarrel

"I think," cried one of them, "that there is just one thing that saves you from being a barefaced liar!"

"What's that?" ... ed the other

"Your whiskers" was the reply

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Personals 7

NO HUNTING—Allowed west and north of Decatur Sunnyside Beardsdale and Warrensburg Signed Beardsdale A H T A

TYPEWRITING—Done afternoons Citizens Bldg Auto license blanks filled out 10c

### Strayed, Lost, Found. 10

BAR PIN—Platinum diamond lost between Nov 17 and 2. Reward Fairview ...

FOUNTAIN PEN—Gold lost B Boose engraved Call Main 4605 Reward

GLASSES—Tortoise shell rim lost Friday on L Wood or Webster St Return 1-41 E Wood Main 622 Reward

LADIES PURSE—Underarm bag lost in Lincoln Square Theater Saturday night Main 6180 Reward

PEARL NECKLACE—Lost Sunday afternoon between T B Sanatorium and Edward or on Condit car or transfer house Main 4148 Reward

## AUTOMOBILES

### Automobiles For Sale. 11

BUICK—Model D4 touring fine running condition Real bargain at $125 Terms if desired W C Starr 530 N Main St Main 251

BUICK—1922 roadster 1923 Ford coupe 1923 Chevrolet touring 1923 Chevrolet sedan model 67 Cadillac coupe Dodge touring two Nash Six sport models two Nash Six tourings Small payment down Balance monthly Nash Motor Sales Co 241 South Main Main 441

CADILLAC BARGAINS—

TWO CHRISTMAS SPECIALS—

DODGE—Coupe A good one $387 buys it

REO—5 passenger touring How's this $165

CADILLAC CO OF DECATUR

418 32 E WILLIAM MAIN 722

CHASSIS—Of Milburn electric four good tires will make good trailer Prairie Auto Paint Shop Main 1582

CHEVROLET COUPE—Driven 4 000 miles Several extras Also a 1924 touring like new 1923 touring with Duco finish 1922 sedan and 1922 touring Wm Frede & Son 126 N Franklin St Main 1718

DODGE—See our list of reconditioned Dodge cars Some real bargains G Ferre 121 N Church M 725

DODGE—1924 Dodge sedan Used 2 months Nash Motor Sales Co 241 S Main Main 441

DODGE ROADSTER—1922 model Good year cord tires Shock absorbers extra good in appearance and mechanical condition Also a 1921 Oakland sedan new cord tires 1920 Nash touring 1917 Hudson touring 1918 Paige touring Wm Frede & Son 126 N. Franklin, Main 1718.

## AUTOMOBILES

### Automobiles For Sale. 11

FORD—A touring car that's in A 1 running order Has good tires and looks good A real buy at $50 See this car before it is too late W C Starr 530 N Main St Main 251

FORD TOURING—A 1921 model with starter and demountable rims In splendid condition and appearance $150 W C Starr 530 N Main St Main 251

FORDS—1924 coupe 1922 coupe 1922 sedan 1924 touring 1924 roadster 1924 truck with new cab and body Talbott Barry Co 885 E Prairie Main 208

FORD TOURING—Starter and demountable rims Absolutely like new Also a 1923 touring with winter top 1922 touring 1921 coupe Wm Frede & Son 126 N Franklin St Main 1718

HAYNES—Late model 75 Brougham four passenger A 1 mechanically cord tires good has had excellent care driven 9 000 miles See it J G Starr & Son 1-2 South Franklin street Main 979

HUPMOBILE—1923 touring If you want transportation come in and see this car Reverts and Ehler Fair and Square 314 E Main St Main 179

MAXWELL—

MAXWELL—1923 touring

BUICK—Brand new touring

OVERLAND— 922 touring

SPIESS AUTO SALES CO

244 E WOOD MAIN 1.80

OAKLAND—1921 coupe In fine condition Adams Used Car Market 5 3 North Main street

OVERLANDS—1924 touring Very little mileage Cord tires real low price Also a 1922 touring at a bargain Wm Frede & Son Chevrolet Dealers 1... N Franklin Main 1 18

SET THOMPSON—For good light used cars a good variety to choose from Cash terms or trade 163 South Main street Main 1971

STEARNS KNIGHT—In first class mechanical condition Has a genuine Knight motor which improves with use All good tires A high grade used car with a lot of service in it Price $3... Terms if desired W C Starr 530 N Main St Main 2 1

STUDEBAKER—Five passenger Special six touring Refinished and mechanically correct Many extras Including winter sides A real car to drive this winter in comfort Jerney & Co 138 W Wil liam

STUDEBAKERS—

STUDEBAKER—1924 special 6 sedan Refinished and in excellent condition

STUDEBAKER—1923 special 6 touring Refinished and in fine shape

STUDEBAKER—1922 light 6 touring Refinished and in good condition

BUICK—1922 6 touring In good shape

BUICK—6 coupe Refinished and in good mechanical shape

SEVERAL OTHERS—Cheap

V M FILMORE & SON

232 S MAIN MAIN 867

CLEAN UP SALE ON USED CARS—

3, LATE MODELS—To select from Your old car taken in trade Easy terms

E G HEDGES

332 E MAIN ST. MAIN 338

REO MOTOR SALES BARGAINS—

APPERSON—An 18 model six-cylinder touring Runs good Will sell cheap

BUICKS—1919 touring 1917 touring

FORDS—1923 coupe in A 1 shape Also a 1920 roadster and 1919 touring with starter

LEXINGTON—1917 six-cylinder touring

GARDNER—1922 touring In best of condition, Looks and runs fine

PAIGE—1919 six-cylinder touring Runs good

REOS—1917 six-cylinder roadster 1916 four-cylinder roadster, 1917 four-cylinder touring, 1916 big 6 touring 1917 big 6 touring all these cars are in good condition

REO MOTOR SALES CO

2301E NORTH ST. MAIN 763

## AUTOMOBILES

### Auto Trucks For Sale. 12

REO TRUCK—For sale Bachman Co 234 N Main Street

### Auto Accessories. 13

PARTS—For all makes of cars new and used Shaw's 13 S Franklin

TIRES—Sacrificed 3 x3 31x3½ $3 All other sizes $4 Used Tire Store 233 E Eldorado Open 7 a m to 8 p m

## BUSINESS SERVICE

### Business Service Offered. 18

BOILERS—Pipes furnace parts welded and repaired Decatur Welding Co 1217 East Eldorado Main 6901

CHIMNEY SWEEP—Why not get your chimneys pointed and furnaces cleaned before it is too cold? Fairview 1174

GUN AND LOCKSMITH—Better work quicker and cheaper My work done at home 3 years record in Decatur is proof Also will buy your furs G G Rupert 2d W Spring St

RUGS—Made from your old ingrain carpets and carpet rags Pfister Rug Works 713 E Lincoln Main 6878

I AM READY—To trim up your shade trees and take out your old trees Call Fairview 1 3

### Building—Contracting. 19

BUILDING CONTRACTS—Wanted and hardwood floors laid by a contractor who is expert at this work Fairview 3?1

### Cleaning, Dyeing Renovating 20

RUGS CLEANED SHAMPOOED SIZED—

OUR PROCESS—Removes all doubt as well as dirt Try it

MERIDITH CLEANING CO

320 30 E CERRO GORDO MAIN 205-206

### Dressmaking—Millinery 21

DRESSMAKING—Children's clothing caps and tams a specialty Reasonable 104 N Main

SEWING—By day or piece Reasonable prices Fairview 1709

### Hairdressing, Massage, Manicure 21A

HAIR WORK—All hair accessories made from your cut hair or combings Mrs Wolfington 845 E Wood Main 2 80

LEARN MARCEL WAVING—And beauty culture new class Dec 17 enroll now Mrs Heller's Beauty School 150 South Water ground floor

MARCELLING—Fifty cents open Saturday evening and Sunday morning Call Main 4040—or 1147 East Eldorado

### Insurance. 23

ILLINOIS BANKERS LIFE—Writes $5 000 at age 30 years for $108 15 Call J W MacNeil Dist Agt Decatur Ill County 951 R P O Box 703

### Laundering. 24

CURTAINS—Laundered Call for and delivered Work guaranteed Mrs Black, M 5340

### Moving, Trucking, Storage. 25

BIG VAN LOADS—$6 00 smaller jobs $1 00 up Trunks etc 50c Estimates given on storage and packing Main 849 527 N Union Davis Storage Moving

COAL HAULING—And hauling of all kinds Call Main 2690

HAULING—Of all kinds promptly done Call Main 1208 evenings

KENNARD TRANSFER—Baggage and moving Overland hauling a specialty We'll save you money Main 663

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FOUNTAIN PENS—Pencils, office desks, chairs, printed or engraved personal stationery, chair cushions, ink stands, desk blotter pads or other office necessities, make useful Christmas gifts for father, husband, son or brother. Wallender-Pennington Co. 151 W. Main St.

FUR ROBES—Give him a fur robe for his car. $17.50 to $40. Brown the Furrier, 543 N. Water.

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HOSIERY—Give them Real Silk guaranteed hosiery. Call our representatives, J. F. Wilmeth or A. M. Hartley, Main 6144.

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BATTERIES—Get your boy the famous Willard storage "A" battery for best results with his radio. Decatur Battery Service, 347 East Main.

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CHRISTMAS CLUB MEMBERSHIP—Serves a double purpose. Start them right. Citizens National Bank, "The Home of Savings."

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DISHES—Make the little girl happy with a China Tea set. In pretty designs 73 cts. to $5. Linn & Scruggs Basement.

DOLL CARTS—Large assortment of doll carts at low prices. Eldorado Furniture House, 653 E. Eldorado.

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ELECTRIC TRAINS—Get one for your boy this Christmas; complete line of Ives' trains. Rex Electric Co. 114 East William.

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GULBRANSEN REGISTERING PIANO—Put your gift money together and buy a Gulbransen Registering Piano. Everyone can enjoy it. Easy to pedal, fun to play. Two years to pay. Priced $450 up. $5 reserves one today. Emerson Piano House, 143 N. Main St. Main 315.

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LAKE FRONT LOTS—A Christmas present you can enjoy 365 days a year—a lot in Lake Beach or Ridge Ideal on Lake Decatur. Adjoins Elks' $30,000 club home grounds. Easy terms. Godwin & Goddard, Realtors, over West Drug Store. Main 434.

LYON & HEALY PLAYER PIANO—We can suggest nothing finer than this reme-sole player piano. Splendid tone, wonderful player action, beautiful case—an instrument which will enhance the finest appointed home. See and hear it play at Wm. Gushard Co. Main 4391.

MANTLE CLOCKS—Beautiful mahogany mantle clocks, equipped with two-tone chime gong and reliable eight-day movement. Christmas special at $12.75. Frank Curtis Co., 156 East Main street.

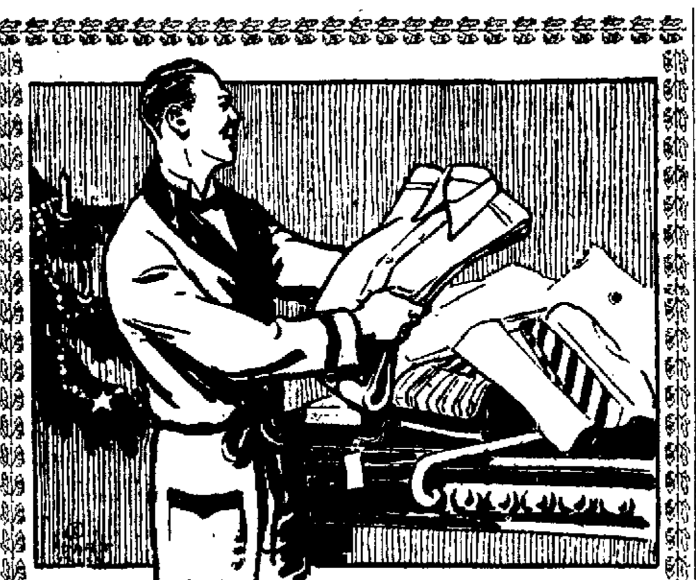
MATTRESSES—"Decatur Made" combination, felt or Kapox, $8 to $28. Decatur Mattress Factory, 1025 N. Water.

MAXWELL—The "Good Maxwell" in any model; all the family will pride in the comforts of this popular car. Spiess Auto Sales Co. 244 E. Wood.

NASH SEDAN—Advanced "six" sedan; five-passenger; four-wheel brakes; $1,695. Nash Motor Sales, 241 South Main.

OVERLAND COUPE-SEDAN—Will fill the bill as a Christmas present deluxe for the wife and children. America's lowest priced closed car. Let us show it to you. W. C. Starr, 530 N. Main St. Main 231.

PLAYER PIANO—Get a player piano for the family to enjoy; $350 up; standard makes. Decatur Music Shop, 118 East William.



## You're Sure to Please Him

***With a shirt, bathrobe, muffler, hosiery or ties.***

*See* **"GIFTS FOR HIM"** *In* The Shop-o-scope

## The SHOP-O-SCOPE

### Gifts for the Home. D

PIANOS—Is there anything that would be more appreciated than a nice piano or player piano—the lasting gift? The finest instruments that can be had are now being displayed in Grands and Uprights; a special payment plan for Christmas pianos; fourth floor. Linn & Scruggs

RADIO SET—The famous Atwater-Kent set is a most acceptable gift for the entire family; standard, endurable and enjoyable, five-tube cabinet, $100; five-tube open set, $85. Decatur Battery Service, 347 East Main street.

RADIO SETS—Atwater-Kent, $85 up; Crosley, $18.50 up. North Main Tire and Radio Shop, 718 North Main.

REX ENCLOSURE—Makes a sedan out of any touring car. Ride in comfort! Troy Odor, 242 West Packard street.

"SANTA CLAUS HIDES IN THE PHONOGRAPH" and "Christmas Morning at Clancey's," a novel Brunswick Christmas record that will delight the children; price, 75c. Wm. Gushard Co.

SAVINGS ACCOUNT—Is a constant builder for anything in the home. Citizens National Bank, "The Home of Savings."

SUPER-HETERODYNE—Get a Radiola and you'll enjoy radio at its best. $269 to $425. Auto Parts Co. 1063 N. Water.

THOR ELECTRIC WASHER—Over 800,000 in use. Make this a "Thor" Christmas for her. Convenient terms. Call Main 1 for demonstration. Illinois Power & Light Corporation.

TITLE TO YOUR HOME—Is a present best of all; modern homes, for Christmas, as low as $300 down. W. E. Gregg, 620 Gushard Building, Main 336.

VICTOR RECORDS—Will play an important part in her Christmas spirit. Emerson Piano House, 143 N. Main St. Main 315.

VICTOR RECORDS—Your friends will appreciate receiving some good records. An inexpensive gift that everyone will appreciate receiving. We deliver or pack and mail them for you. Linn & Scruggs. Fourth floor.

VICTROLA—Better to buy a genuine Victrola than to wish you had—and to know you have the "service" of an exclusive Music House. Terms to suit. Select one now for Dec. 24th delivery. Emerson Piano House, 143 N. Main St. Main 315.

VICTROLA—You can give nothing that would be appreciated more by your family than a Victrola and a nice collection of records; special payment plans for Christmas Victrolas. Linn & Scruggs.

### Dinner and Decorations. E

CANDY—Get your Christmas candy at the Candyland Confectionery. Best prices. 125 East Main.

CANDY—In all size boxes for her. Cigars, all size boxes, for him. "Curly" Jordan, 130 South Main.

CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTS—Mazda bulbs, colored light cords. Just attach to light sockets. Colored bulbs 10c, sockets, 10c, at Kresges.

CHRISTMAS TREES—From 2 to 18 feet. Prices suitable to all. Now on sale at 413 N. Main.

TREE LIGHTING OUTFITS—With green light cords and eight colored lamps, $2.50 per set. Extra bulbs, 15c each. Morehouse & Wells.

## ROOMS AND BOARD

### Rooms With Board. 67

EDWARD ST., N., 1133—Neat rooms, good meals, private home. Fairview 1710.

MERCER ST., N., 830—Modern room with board, home cooking. Main 6654 J.

PRAIRIE AVE., E., 1444—Two rooms, with board, $8 per week. Fairview 780—J.

PRAIRIE AVE., W., 831—Light front room near bath. Also garage. 1 or 2 ladies employed. Fairview 1876.

### Rooms Without Board. 68

BRUNSWICK HOTEL—Rooms with hot and cold water, Special weekly rates.

DECATUR ST., W., 822—Modern furnished room, in private house. On bus line.

EDWARD ST., S., 241—Lovely room, ground floor, $5. Cooking privileges, Also rooms, $2 and $3.50 per week. Modern home, close in. References required. Main 1120.

KING ST., E., 125—Sleeping rooms in nice modern home. Fairview 2322.

MAIN ST., N., 912—Two modern rooms; board if desired. Fairview 2002.

MAIN ST., W., 411—Large modern room, twin beds, city heat.

MAIN ST., W., 540—Modern furnished sleeping room.

MAIN ST., W., 911—Large modern front room, suitable for two. Main 5535.

MAIN ST., W., 1076—Nicely furnished front room, modern home. Fairview 1001.

MAIN ST., W., 1183—Rooms and garage for rent.

NORTH ST., E., 912—Sleeping room in modern home. Main 4268.

NORTH ST., W., 518—Modern furnished room. Gentleman preferred.

ST. JAMES HOTEL—Rooms with hot and cold water. Special weekly rates.

## ROOMS AND BOARD

### Rooms Without Board. 68

UNION ST., N., 1255—Large cozy warm room, $3 week. Breakfast if desired.

WOOD ST., W., 250—Nice front sleeping room, in modern flat for 1 or 2 gentlemen, privilege of living room. Fairview 753.

WOOD ST., W., 1030—Nicely furnished room with privilege of living room. Mrs. Wilbur Storey, Fairview 1336.

CLOSE IN—Choice room, new, modern bungalow; gentleman; breakfast. Fairview 1326

### Rooms for Housekeeping. 69

CALHOUN ST., N., 339—Suite of 2 modern furnished rooms.

CALHOUN ST., N., 1317—Large unfurnished room; water and lights.

CERRO GORDO ST., E., 2250—Furnished rooms, partly modern.

CHURCH ST., N., 481—Modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping.

CONDIT ST., E., 432—2 furnished rooms, on car line. Main 6806.

EDWARD ST., N., 901—2 or 3 modern unfurnished rooms, private entrance, heat and water furnished. Fairview 2004.

ELDORADO ST., E., 1760—2 strictly modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping.

ELDORADO ST., W., 268—2 unfurnished, all modern rooms for l. h. k.

GREEN ST., W., 433—2 nicely furnished front rooms in private home. Ground floor. Main 6318.

JASPER ST., N., 564—3 furnished rooms with light, gas, and heat.

LEAFLAND ST., W., 801—3 unfurnished modern rooms, private entrance. Upstairs. Fairview 199.

MACON ST., W., 305—Two unfurnished rooms, with private bath, kitchenette and sleeping porch. Fairview 2608.

MACON ST., W., 1064—3 modern unfurnished rooms, kitchenette, ground floor. Garage. Adults. Main 6570.

MAIN ST., E., 1104—3 modern unfurnished rooms. Call after 3 p. m.

MAIN ST., N., 1043—2 modern unfurnished rooms.

MAIN ST., N., 1805—Two modern furnished rooms. Also garage.

MAIN ST., W., 1183—Rooms and garage for rent.

MARIETTA ST., E., 1514—2 furnished modern l. h. k. rooms.

NORTH ST., E., 1875—Three unfurnished l. h. k. rooms; modern home. Main 6712.

NORTH ST., W., 271—3 unfurnished rooms downstairs, Sink in kitchen. Also large room with kitchenette. No children.

PRAIRIE AVE., E., 926—2 furnished rooms for l. h. k. or sleeping. Fairview 371.

PRAIRIE AVE., E., 1713—Modern, well furnished, warm, l. h. k. rooms.

WILLIAM ST., W., 1032—Furnished light housekeeping rooms. Call after 10 a. m.

CLOSE IN—2 partly modern unfurnished rooms. Call Main 5072.

## REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

### Apartments and Flats. 74

BROADWAY, N., 710—Four-room modern flat. Apply 541 Wabash avenue.

ELDORADO ST., W., 1044—3 rooms and bath, unfurnished, private entrance.

MAIN ST., N., 215—Matesia apartments, suite of 3 rooms. Main 401.

MAIN ST., N., 315—Modern furnished apartment, City heat.

ST. JAMES HOTEL—2-room apartment. Heat, light and gas furnished.

WOOD ST., E., 1004—5-room flat, heat and lights.

APARTMENT—Cozy 3-room apartment, to couple, for 2 or 3 months. 2nd floor. Everything furnished. Main 1318.

CLOSE IN—On a good street. 6-room, with sleeping porch, heat, water and janitor service, garage if wanted. Also 5-room, city heat and water, with garage. Main 1505.

EAST SIDE—Furnished 3-room apartment, gas range and sink in kitchen. Adults only. Main 2113.

WEST END—2-room apartment with bath. One or two men. On bus line. Call Main 3442.

WEST SIDE—Close in. Small, well furnished apartment. Reasonable. Fairview 458.

### Business Places For Rent. 75

ELDORADO ST., E., 229 AND 231—Call Hall, Main 3960.

MAIN ST., N., 340—Business room, formerly occupied by the Gately Clothing Co., size 22x94. Suitable for retail business. Will lease for five years. See Geo. Moeller Jr., 228 Citizens Bank Bldg., or 157 McClelland Ave.

STORE ROOM—528 N. Water. Steam heat. Room 60x120. 230 E. William, 2-story brick building 302 E. William. C. H. Pierce & Son, Main 138.

### Houses For Rent. 77

CENTER ST., E., 523—5-room modern cottage. Call at 312 E. Center. Main 6807

CENTRAL AVE., 236—7-room, all strictly modern house. Apply 451 N. Water. Main 4478.

DECATUR ST., W.—Leaving town. Modern 6 rooms, bus line, $35 per month. Call Main 2057 between 7 and 8.

## REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

### Houses For Rent. 77

GREENWOOD AVE., 454—Near 6-room modern house; in good repair $40 per month. Main 1150.

HENDERSON AVE., 1148—5-room, gas, water, electricity, $25. Apply 1145 Rogers Ave.

MAIN ST., N., 2168—4-room furnished house, partly modern. Reference required. Call Fairview 2696 or Fairview 2509.

MARIETTA ST., E.—New 6-room modern bungalow, 532 E. Marietta St.

MARIETTA ST., E., 1151—6-room house, gas, lights, water, furnace, $80 per month. Garages to rent. Inquire 1143 E. Marietta, or call Main 3028.

MARION ST., E.—4-room house, lights and water, $20. Inquire 359 E. Marion.

MOORE ST., E., 1215—New 5-room modern bungalow. W. F. Pickle, 140 E. Main.

MORGAN ST., N., 1005—Nine rooms; bath, electric lights, gas; good condition; water furnished; $32. Call Main 5588.

MUELLER AVE., 1180—5-room strictly modern bungalow. Apply 451 Wabash Ave. Main 4478.

NORTH ST., W., 352—Thoroughly modern furnished house. 7 rooms and reception room.

OAKDALE BLVD.—Fine six-room bungalow. Furnished. Full lot. Garage. $55 per month, Main 498.

OLIVE ST., E., 446—5-room house, partly modern. Call Main 6506.

STONE ST., N., 524—5-room house. Call Main 2715.

WAGGONER ST., W., 368—6-room modern furnished bungalow. Lease 6 to 9 months. Reference exchanged. Adults.

WATER ST., N., 1623—8-room modern house. Call Main 2019.

WESTLAWN AVE.—Fine five-room bungalow; possession at once; $50 per month. Main 498.

WOODFORD ST., N., 2147—4-room part modern house. Apply 451 N. Water, Main 4478.

HOUSE—5 rooms, modern except heat and bath. Inquire 937 E. William.

NEW BUNGALOW—Garage included, choice west side location. Fairview 2208.

### Wanted—To Rent. 81B

BUSINESS BUILDING—Wanted. Brick or frame. Not farther than fifth zone. Size 40 by 40 preferred or if can build for manufacturing purposes give all information in first letter. Box 240, care Review.

ROOMS—2 or 3 large unfurnished, for l. h. k. Close in. Fairview 1630.

## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

### Brokers in Real Estate. R

H. E. CANNON—List your property with me for quick sale. 145 Merchant St. Main 3214.

WILLHITE, T. S.—If you want to buy, sell or exchange property of any kind, see us. 318 Citizens Bank Building. Main 3662.

WRIGHT, W. G.—Real estate dealer; city property and farm lands sold and exchanged. 413 Millikin Building. Main 980.

### Farms and Land For Sale. 83

FARM FOR SALE—Would you like to buy a farm if you could see a chance to double your money quick? $6,000 cash necessary. S. H. Tolly, Stine Building, Decatur, Ill.

### Houses For Sale. 84

CENTER, E., 518—Well kept 4-room cottage, on full lot with garage. A cozy home for small family. Give us your offer. Phone Main 1100.

CHURCH ST., N.—$500 down buys dandy five-room, modern bungalow; full lot; garage; price, $4,500. W. E. Gregg, 620 Gushard Building. Main 336.

CUSHING AVE.—5-room colonial bungalow. Will take vacant lot on this. Also new 5-room modern bungalow. $4,750. $500 down. J. T. Pierce, 133 E. Prairie. Main 6862.

DECATUR ST., W.—9 rooms. Many built-in features. Attic finished. $6,800. W. R. Schroeder, Fair. 1957 or Main 48.

DECATUR ST., W., 1300 BLOCK—7 rooms all modern. Concrete basement. Concrete drive and garage. Full lot. Very attractive terms. Camp & Emrich 202 Neustadt Bldg. Main 2544.

DECATUR ST., W., 1575—A beautiful new 5-room bungalow. Modern throughout. Hardwood floors, fireplace, beautiful electric fixtures. Walls decorated. XXth Century furnace. Concrete drive and garage. We will make terms to suit you. Jos. Lukey & Son, Main 6484 or 6833.

DIVISION ST., W.—Five-room, modern bungalow; full lot; garage; terms. Frank L. Clark, 418 West Wood. Fairview 1949.

FORREST AVE., W.—A good 6-room modern residence. Corner lot. Room in rear for store or gasoline station. This is a good business deal. Dickerson & Cloney, 206 Neustadt Bldg. Main 2461 office; Main 4750, residence.

FORREST AVE., W.—New 5-room bungalow. All modern. Oak floors. Long living room. Sun parlor. Fireplace. Built-in bookcases and cabinets. Breakfast nook. Full lot. Garage. $7,250. Half cash. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

GULICK AVE., N.—A good 6-room house. Nice front and back porches. Electric lights in house and gas in street, garage. $2,400. $500 cash, balance payment, H. A. Britton. Main 1112.

MAIN ST., E.—4-room bungalow. Part modern. All large rooms, Full lot. Plenty of fruit. Shade. $2,500. $750 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

MAIN ST., N., 2090—$300 down, buys a good 6-room part modern house. On corner lot, 40x125. Fine location. House is vacant and ready to move into. A real bargain at $3,000. W. E. Gregg, 620 Gushard Bldg. Main 336.

MAIN ST., W.—8 rooms, modern. Oak floors downstairs. Large living room and dining room. Sleeping porch. New furnace. A detailed description of this house cannot be given in this space, but if you are looking for a real money making home call Main 3720. M. E. Harvell. Terms to suit purchaser.

PRAIRIE AVE., E.—Four-room house. On full lot. $1,900. $200 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

VIEW ST., W.—4-room modern cottage. Full lot. $3,000. Zimmerman & Platorius, Stine Bldg. Main 6981.

WARREN ST., N.—On pavement 6-room cottage. All modern. Large rooms. Full lot. Garage. $4,500. Half cash. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

WOOD ST., E., 2226—5-room modern house for sale or rent. Inquire 2252 E. Wood.

BUNGALOW—Modern, built-in features, paved street, full lot, garage. Main 1705.

CLOSE TO MUELLERS—5-room modern cottage. On paved street. $3,900. $1,700 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

CLOSE TO RIVERSIDE SCHOOL—7-room house. Part modern. Nearly new. Large lot. Plenty of shade. $3,250. $500 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

EAST—3 modern 5-room bungalows and one 5-room cottage, on or near pavement. $1,000 down; balance monthly. Hazenfield & Holt, 211 N. Main. M. 1100.

EAST PART—New 5-room modern bungalow. Large living room and dining room. Well ventilated. Complete bathroom and cozy kitchen. Full concrete basement. Furnace heat. Full lot $3,750. $800 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

HOUSES—New modern 5 and 6-room houses. Call Main 6803.

NEAR UNIVERSITY—8-room modern, steam heat; hardwood floors down; good location for home. Two rooms are rented for $25.00 per month. In A-1 repair. Price $6,500. Phone Lyons & Oldweiler, Main 1560 J.

## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

### Houses For Sale. 84

NORTH WEST—Four-room part modern cottage, Full lot. Double garage. $1500. $1,500 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963

NORTHWEST—Three Christmas bungalows. Two have never been occupied. All modern with garages. Everything up-to-date. Best of materials and construction. H. A. Britton, Main 1112.

NORTHWEST—8 rooms with electric lights. On good oiled road, 4 blocks of Edward car line. House in fair shape. Full concrete basement. Large barn with concrete floor. All this house with three extra lots for $4,500. Just the place to build and make some money. M. E. Harvell, Main 3720, 313 N. Main St.

WEST SIDE—On paved street. New California bungalow. 5 rooms and sun parlor. All modern. French doors and fireplace. Built-in bookcases. Full lot and garage. $6,500. $1,800 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

$300 DOWN—Buys three-room cottage, northeast part, full lot, electric lights gas, fruit in yard. Price $2,000. E. Drobisch Jr. 110 Merchant St. Main 2047.

### Lots For Sale. 85

LOTS—In all parts of the city. Payments as low as $10 down and $5 per month. Edw. T. Condon, the lot specialist 620 Standard Life Bldg. Phones, Residence Main 6590, office 1561

### Suburban For Sale. 87

TWENTY ACRES—West Main; 3, 5, 10, 20 acres North Water; 40, 60, 80, 120, 160, 200, 326-acre farms; all good; many more. A. C. Allen, 115 Merchant street. Main 427.

5 ACRES—West of city, close to hard road and interurban stop. Has 8-room house, electric lights, basement, all kinds of fruit, chicken house and park. Owner wants to trade for city property. Stringer & Workman, 110 S. Water St. Main 4951-6318.

5 ACRE TRACT—Very desirably located on N. Water St. hard road, close in. If you want a nice five acre tract close to Decatur, in fine community. See this. Call Main 2544.

SUBURBAN—Four-room house. Part modern. Half acre of ground. Plenty of fruit. Large poultry house. $2,000. $300 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

### Real Estate For Exchange. 88

NORTHWEST—Will take vacant lots as down payment on new 5-room modern bungalow. Main 1275.

### Wanted—Real Estate. 89

BUNGALOW—A first-class new 5-room bungalow, wanted, on E. Main or E. Prairie Ave. Call Main 2464.

WANT TO LIST—Lots that can be sold for from $10 to $50 down. S. A. Whitsett. 543 N. Monroe.

PROPERTY WANTED—We can sell your property if the price is right. Our improved selling system brings immediate buyers. List with us now. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

## AUCTIONS—LEGALS

### Legal Notices. 91

OCT. 19, 1922—Lake Decatur, located in the County of Macon.

Whereas, on the 19th day of October, 1922, the Department of Agriculture of the State of Illinois, set aside as a rest ground or refuge for waterfowl the shores of Lake Decatur, located in the County of Macon and State of Illinois, thereby prohibiting the hunting of waterfowl and shore birds upon such waters or shores at all times; whereas, such action and the observance of the provisions of said proclamation have tended to injure the hunting of waterfowl and shore birds in the vicinity of the city of Decatur and has brought about dissatisfacion among the citizens of that region and hunters and sportsmen who visit the same, and whereas it is deemed expedient and for the best interests of all concerned to modify or amend said proclamation, believing the water sufficiently conserved; It is therefore ordered that the waterfowls and shore bird's protected by the proclamation heretofore issued on the date aforesaid, is hereby modified and amended so as to permit the hunting of waterfowl and shore birds upon the waters of Lake Decatur, north and east of Rhea's Bridge.

Notice of the modification or amendment of the original proclamation shall be given by inserting a copy thereof once in a newspaper of general circulation, published in the city of Decatur, County of Macon, Illinois.

Dated at Springfield, this second day of December, A. D. 1924.

R. M. DAVISON, Director of Agriculture.
(Seal) WILLIAM J. STRATTON, Chief Game and Fish Warden.

## CLASSIFIED DISPLAY

### REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

**December Bargains**

N. COLLEGE—North of Grand Ave. 5-room modern cottage. On full lot. Garage. $4,200, on terms.

W. MACON—8-room modern house on full lot. Garage. Will exchange on bungalow.

W. GRAND AVE.—Splendid 5-room semi-bungalow. Very large rooms. Hardwood floors. On full lot, garage. $5,500.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY.

STORE BUILDING—With an 8-room residence on north side. Also a good store building, in excellent location on West side.

**Dickerson & Cloney**
204 Neustadt Bldg. Main 2461-4750.

**See These**

CITY HEAT—Nice 7-room home, large living room, fireplace, garage. A very comfortable home

WEST—6-room modern, 2-story house newly papered, oak floors, garage, nice quiet location. East front terms.

NORTH—4 rooms, east front, double floors, $1,600, Terms.

EAST—New 5-room bungalow, sun room, breakfast nook, oak floors, south front, garage. Terms.

**Cobb & Odor, Realtor**
615 Millikin Bldg. Main 1160.

**Lot Bargains**

Two lots on the southwest corner of Prairie and Twelfth Sts., room for three house, for $750.00.

Choice south front lot in same block for $350.00.

**James O'Mara**
123 E. MAIN ST. MAIN 2206.

**E. Prairie Ave.**

7-room modern house. Almost new. Good garage. Paving paid. Will sell on easy terms. Only $1,000 down. Call

**Godwin & Goddard**
REALTORS.
Over West Drug Store. Main 434.

**East Side**

New 5-room bungalows ready for occupancy in about thirty days. Modern in every respect, with oak floors. Five hundred down and balance terms.

**B. B. Burns, Realtor**
136 SO. WATER ST. FAIRVIEW 664.

## CLASSIFIED DISPLAY

### REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

**Fine Homes**

8 rooms brick W. Prairie $12500

8 rooms brick best location in west side $12000

8 rooms [illegible] Blk. W. Macon [illegible]

7 rooms W. Main St. [illegible]

8 rooms N. Main St. $7500

5 room bungalow west end [illegible]

**W. F. Pickle**
140 E. MAIN ST. MAIN [illegible]

**$200 Down**

Buys a 6-room part modern house in the [illegible] block N. Oakland Ave. Now vacant

E. KING ST. [illegible] 7 room part modern $200 down balance in monthly payments not more than rent

N. UNION 6 rooms modern. Full lot east front. Garage. Paved street. Fine location. [illegible]

**L. W. Niles**
116 N. WATER ST. MAIN [illegible]

**Easy Payments**

$[illegible] DOWN. Balance monthly buys a good 6-room modern bungalow on E. Prairie. Full lot, pavement paid. Price $4,500.

$[illegible] DOWN—Buys a brand new 5-room bungalow with electric lights and concrete basement, full lot, garage. N. W. part.

$350 DOWN—$35 per month buys a dandy brand new colonial bungalow, with electric lights and gas. Long living room with fireplace, breakfast nook, kitchen, bedrooms. A cute little love nest for a newly married couple.

**Stringer & Workman**
110 S. WATER ST. MAIN 4951 6318

**Christmas In Your Own Home Will Be More Joyful**

OAKDALE ADDITION—One of the finest new colonial homes in the west end. Very attractive large living room with fireplace, colonial mantle and stairway. French doors to tile floored side porch. Large dining room and well planned kitchen. Three large bed rooms, one very large. Tile floored bathroom with elegant fixtures. This house is equipped with every latest device for comfort and is carefully finished in every detail. Full lot. Two car garage. Owner moving east. Priced right.

PRETTY BRICK BUNGALOW. Five rooms and sun parlor. Long living room with fireplace and bookcases. Very pretty dining room. Breakfast nook. Built-in bath tub. Exceptionally nice light fixtures. Extra heavy oak floors. Very conveniently arranged plan. Full lot. Garage. Terms.

WEST END. Fine colonial home in one of the best streets of the west end. Very attractive living room with fireplace, sun parlor. Good dining room and kitchen. Three nice bed rooms and a wing room. Full lot. Garage. East front. Paved street. This is an unusually attractive home both inside and out.

**C. N. Gorham & Son**
REALTORS
210 STANDARD LIFE BLDG.
Main 456 Main 496

**F. M. Tarr, Realtor**

ABOVE WISE'S DRUG STORE

WEST SIDE 10-room all modern residence hardwood floors full lot double garage close in and well located $7,500

NORTHWEST Classy bungalow of 5 rooms and bath hardwood floors built-in features, lot [illegible] ft. A good buy at $5,500.

ROOM 204. MAIN [illegible]

**"$100 Down"**

New 4-room bungalow, move in now don't rent, only $2,[illegible]

CLOSE IN—5 rooms and bath, fireplace on first, 4 rooms and fireplace up. New paint, roof and porch. $[illegible] down. Upper floor will pay balance $[illegible]

New 5-room modern bungalow oak floors, long front room, garage corner lot, near bus, $[illegible], $[illegible] down

WEST SIDE—New 6-room strictly modern, 2 nice bedrooms with bath long living and dining room built-in features, full lot, near car and bus $3,[illegible] $[illegible] down

**C. M. Campbell**
202 Citizens Bank Bldg. Main [illegible]

**Selected Homes**

SUMMIT AVE.—Six room colonial New and exceptionally well built. A beautiful interior. $[illegible] and worth the money.

WEST NORTH END—[illegible] Colonial. New Stouffer [illegible] built. Beautifully decorated. Shades and screens and gas stove included. In a new block where every house is occupied by owner.

LINCOLN PLACE. Five room bungalow. East front, large porch all finished affording two extra bedrooms and a splendid sleeping porch. Owner leaving city. Priced for quick sale.

**B. B. Burns, Realtor**
136 SO. WATER ST. FAIRVIEW 664

**Set Up Your Christmas Tree In Your Own Home**

You have often heard of a wealthy Landlord, How often do you see a wealthy tenant? Being a tenant never made a man rich. Owning property does. Put that Christmas savings account into a down-payment on a home and start the New Year as an owner.

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# SCHIKOWSKI TESTIMONIAL GROWS TO $115

## Schikowski Fund.

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| Previously reported | $8.25 |
| Robert Dilatush | 1.00 |
| Paul Warren | 1.00 |
| Friend | 2.00 |
| Lillie Kimery | 1.00 |
| Lewis Saltz | 1.00 |
| Thomas Saltz | 1.00 |
| Review employes | 50.00 |
| Total | $115.25 |

Several volunteer workers have interested themselves in raising a good sized testimonial fund for Mrs. Adeline Schikowski, 1119 North Railroad avenue, whose son, Fred, died on Thanksgiving Day, the victim of a bandit's bullet. He was helping Policeman Sam Hepford to apprehend a couple of desperate characters the Saturday night before.

Howard Goodman undertook to raise a fund among Review employes and got $50 without any difficulty. All he had to say was "This is for Mrs. Schikowski."

Several donations have been as high as five dollars, although the average is around a dollar.

A suggestion is made in a communication printed on today's editorial page that funds should be raised in stores and factories, so that a sizeable sum can be turned over to the Widow Schikowski, as a community testimonial to her son's bravery.

Following is the list of Review subscriptions:

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| Earl K. Craig | $ .50 |
| Walt Novack | .50 |
| Arthur Gross | .50 |
| Milt Georges | 1.00 |
| Howard Goodwin | 1.00 |
| Yatz | .50 |
| A. Sadowski | .50 |
| J. C. Holtzclaw | .50 |
| W. E. Starbody | .50 |
| C. P. Randolph | 1.00 |
| Wilson | .50 |
| Henry J. Brix | .50 |
| Lynn Davis | 1.00 |
| Oscar Kosloffski | 2.00 |
| E. E. Williams | .50 |
| J. E. Miller | .50 |
| A Friend | .50 |
| F. A. Carmack | .50 |
| R. J. Whitney | .50 |
| Charles Kosloffski | .50 |
| Friend | .50 |
| K. O. Gile | 3.00 |
| L. C. Schetter | 1.00 |
| Otto R. Kyle | 1.00 |
| E. H. Hitchcock | 1.00 |
| A Friend | 1.00 |
| Ben Wiley | 1.00 |
| H. V. Millard | 1.00 |
| John Valentine | 1.00 |
| H. C. Schaub | 1.00 |
| R. C. Whitsell | 1.00 |
| L. G. Murtun | 1.00 |
| E. A. Ross | .50 |
| M. M. Bergen | 1.00 |
| E. J. Andrews | 1.00 |
| Wilbur Kretzinger | .50 |
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| H. W. Dyer | 1.00 |
| J. H. Huber | .50 |
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| Jack Barr | .50 |
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| Alan Hutt | .25 |
| Gene Chapman | .25 |
| Dewitt Trone | .25 |
| H. M. Scott | .50 |
| G. R. Eaton | .50 |
| A Friend | .25 |
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| John W. Roper | 1.00 |
| C. R. Bennett | .50 |
| Ted McCoy | .50 |
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| H. J. Howland | .50 |
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| E. V. Huston | 1.00 |
| F. H. Johns | 1.00 |
| John Beckett | 1.00 |
| F. W. Schaub | |

# GOOD TRADE IN CHRISTMAS TREES

## One Man Ships from His Michigan Farm.

The pronouncement of the president of the Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs against the use of Christmas trees evidently is not interfering largely with the enjoyment of the holiday by Decatur people. Dealers in trees and tree trimmings report good sales and, if anything, more than ordinary interest in their wares.

"For the children especially," said a local dealer of Christmas goods Monday, "the Christmas tree is the embodiment of the entire season. To eliminate this custom would be to serve blueberry pie without any blueberries.

"Our evergreen forests can be preserved better by careful replanting rather than by completely abstaining from using the trees, and that is the stand taken by leading lumbermen."

MICHIGAN TREES.

An interesting shipment of trees is that made by W. E. Funk, a former resident of Shelby county, but now farming at Hillman, Mich. He has come to Decatur with a carload of trees, numbering 2500, for the holiday trade. They are spruce and balsam, ranging in size from a few inches to twenty-five feet, and were cut by himself on his own farm.

When asked about the movement to curtail the use of Christmas trees, Mr. Funk looked queer.

"Why, I have had to burn carloads of them in order to clear my land up in Michigan," he said, "and my neighbors have all had to do the same. Why not let the people use them, if we have to burn them anyway? There are plenty of them up in Northern Michigan."

**Independent Sewing Circle.**

The Independent Sewing Circle will have an all day meeting Tuesday with Mrs. Mary Burnside, 1820 North Union street. A pot luck dinner will be served at noon. The Christmas grab bag party has been postponed until a later date.

# HOLD MAN IN POULTRY THEFT

**Chickens Sold Here May Be Those From Tuscola.**

A man giving the name of Ben Powell, saying that he was working eight miles west of Decatur, was picked up by the police Monday morning for investigation.

Early Monday morning the Decatur police were notified that between 140 and 150 Buff Orpington and Buff Rock chickens had been stolen from Tuscola Sunday night. The police at once got busy with the telephone, calling the different poultry dealers. When they called Simon Burstein he said there was a man at his place having three coops of chickens in an automobile and that the chickens were yellow.

The police took Powell into custody. His home is at a small town near Tuscola and officers to bring some one over to identify the chickens. The license number on Powell's car indicated that his home is at a small town near Tuscola.

# Y. M. C. A. TO LEAVE PINES ON JAN. 1

## Muffley to Take Inventory of Equipment.

## ACTIVITIES CONTINUE

## Baby Clinic to Be There Until June.

The Y. M. C. A. will discontinue operations at The Pines Jan. 1, it was learned positively Monday. W. H. Duerr, secretary of the Y, has given orders to E. J. Muffley, secretary at The Pines, to make an inventory of all Y. M. C. A. equipment at the community center.

After Jan. 1 Mr. Muffley will not be at The Pines unless employed by some organization other than the Y. M. C. A.

ACTIVITIES CONTINUE.

Activities at The Pines are running along according to the regular schedule, except that no parties are being held. The organizations which were using the property before it was purchased by Joseph Schoenle are continuing to hold their meetings there.

The Pines baby clinic will continue there until next June according to Mrs. E. J. Moreland, president of the Decatur federation of the Parent-Teachers association, which is financing the clinic.

The Pines branch of the public library is still at that place, as no further arrangements have been made.

# MINERS ELECT OFFICERS TUESDAY

## Will Take Half Holiday While Doing It.

Decatur miners will take a half day off work Tuesday afternoon as it is election day with them. They will ballot on state and subdistrict officers. For the men of local No. 781, the polls will be at Vic and Fritz hall, Jasper and Eldorado street, and they will be open from 11 a. m. to 7 p. m. There is a penalty attached to every miner who does not vote unless sickness or some other unpreventable cause keeps him from voting.

In the state election, Gus Boehm of Decatur is a candidate for scale committeeman and Enoch Martin is a candidate for special accountant.

In the sub-district election, William Thara of local No. 2622, Decatur, is a candidate for vice president and John Starbody is a candidate for sub-district auditor.

The regular meeting of the Local No. 781 will be held Tuesay night following the closing of the polls.

The ballots for the election of officers of the state federation of labor have also been issued. On this ballot appears the name of Emil "Jimmie" Reinhold of No. 781. Reinhold is a candidate for third vice president of the state federation.

# SUPERVISORS MEET TUESDAY MORNING

## To Name County Physician and Steward.

The board of supervisors will have to again replenish the petit jury box this week. When the special meeting of the board was held a few weeks ago 300 names were placed in the jury box. Since then nearly all of them have been drawn out. A special venire of 100 names from which to select the jurors to try the Stacey and Hicks murder cases Dec. 22, was drawn last Friday, so the board will have to make up a list of 300 more names to go into the box.

The board will meet at 1:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, and probably will remain in session four days. In addition to selecting names for the jury box, the board will elect a county physician and steward of the county infirmary and appoint the grand jury for the January term of the circuit court in addition to the usual routine business.

**Sue for Divorce.**

Edward F. Blenz has filed a bill of divorce from Stella M. Blenz. They were married Nov. 14, 1901, and lived together until Oct. 24, 1922. He charges her with desertion.

Gladys Elben has filed a bill of divorce from Uless O. Elben, charging him with desertion. They were married Nov. 16, 1921, and lived together until June 8, 1922.

# CHRISTMAS PARTY AT DAY NURSERY

## To Have Santa Claus on Dec. 24.

## SERVE DINNER TOO

## Regular Children to Get Dinner.

Children of the Day Nursery are going to get as nearly as possible what they ask for from the nursery Santa Claus at the Christmas party to be given for the children the afternoon of Dec. 24.

This announcement has been made to the children and some unusual requests have been received. One little girl of ten summers wanted a compact. Another's heart's desire was for a pair of silk stockings. These two requests will have to be modified.

Most of the children wanted dolls and trains and things that Santa Claus can bring them without too much trouble.

100 EXPECTED.

Last year's Christmas party was attended by seventy-five children. About 100 are expected this year, as the Day Nursery register has grown considerably during the year. All the children who attend the party and who are known for having been in attendance during the year will receive popcorn balls, oranges and stockings filled with candy. Those who have been registered within a couple of months will get Santa Claus gifts in addition.

CHRISTMAS DINNER.

A special Christmas dinner will be served to the regular children of the Day Nursery at noon, Dec. 24. This will be a chicken dinner with all the trimmings of gravy, cranberry sauce and mashed potatoes. Ice cream and cake will be the refreshments served at the party later in the afternoon.

One young girls' organization has undertaken to make sixty stockings filled with candy for the party.

AGGREGATE 906.

The regular monthly meeting of the Day Nursery board was held Monday.

The matron's report showed 46 on the register the first of the month, representing thirty-two families. Five were admitted for the first time during the month, and six were re-admitted.

The report showed that the largest attendance in any one day was fifty-three and the smallest thirty.

The aggregate attendance as 906, with the average plus thirty-seven. The nursery was open twenty-four days during November.

Work was found for six mothers and for one seventeen-year old girl.

The board made plans for the Christmas party.

# O. J. DEER, LINEMAN PAINFULLY HURT

## Falls from Wagon, Breaking Bones.

Omer J. Derr, a lineman, fell off the wagon on which he was standing to fix some wires at the intersection of Leafland street and the Illinois Central tracks, Monday morning, and was painfully injured. He was taken to the St. Mary's hospital in the Moran and Sons ambulance. His head struck a rail and cut a gash in his head, both bones in his right wrist were fractured and he has a cracked rib. He was resting fairly well at noon and unless internal injuries develop it is thought that his condition will not be serious.

# ELKS CONDUCT ANNUAL MEMORIAL

**One Hundred Fifty Members and Friends Out.**

The annual memorial service of the Elks lodge was held Sunday afternoon in the Elks building on West William street. Exalted Ruler E. L. Davis was in charge of the ceremony. The memorial address was made by the Rev. R. E. Henry, pastor of the First Christian church, appropriate music was furnished by Homebrook's orchestra, and selections sung by Mrs. Marjorie Landon Kuny.

About 150 members and their friends were in attendance.

# MAN SHOT BY STRAY BULLET

**Joe Jones Wounded in Leg Below Knee.**

Joe Jones, giving his address as 1403 East Sangamon street, was shot in the right leg below the knee about 8 o'clock Sunday night. Jones called at police headquarters a few minutes later and the officers took him to the Decatur and Macon County hospital, where the bullet was removed.

Jones told the police that he was on his way to church on South Greenwood avenue and that he heard a sound that he thought was the back firing of an automobile. When he got to the church he discovered that he had been shot in the leg.

The police were in that same block at the time, having been called to the home of Leo Rubin. They heard the shot and tried to locate it, but could not and they did not learn of the injury to Jones till they got back to headquarters. Jones thinks that the shot was fired accidentally.

# PERSONALS

Mrs. F. M. Jones has returned from Peoria where she has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. John Polhensus and Mrs. Dorothy Merriman.

**TODAY'S PUZZLE.**

In today's cross word puzzle in The Daily Review, one vertical word is unkeyed. In the white space above number 50, vertical, the letter is "O" and the complete word "Other."

Also the key for number 23 horizontal is missing. It is "Not False."

In the horizontal list 23 should read 32 and means "slight."

Following No. 26 in the vertical definitions the number should read "28" instead of "2."

# DIVIDE $99.51 IN M'COOL FUND

## Three Participate; Money Into Bank.

## SORRY THEY SAW IT

## Girls Declare They Can Not Sleep.

The fund of $99.51 sent to The Review by a large number of Decatur people to be given to J. D. McCool, Mary Baldwin and Dorothy Daniels for their help in apprehending John Stacey who shot and killed Hyman Rubeinstein in his store on North Water street the night of Nov. 25, was distributed Monday. Each of the three received $33.17 as their share of the fund.

MONEY INTO BANK.

"Mine will go right into the bank," said Dorothy Daniels when she was given her share. "It comes in mighty handy right now in the Christmas season."

"Mine goes into the bank too," was Mary Baldwin's statement, and ten minutes after the money had been given into their hands, Dorothy Daniels was on the way to the bank to deposit the money for both of them.

"What'll I do with mine? Why, it goes right straight into the bank" said J. D. McCool when asked what disposition he intended to make of the fund. "No, it won't go for Christmas presents. It goes into my saving's account," he added.

STILL SEE IT.

"We both would be willing to give as much as is in this gift if we had never seen the shooting at all," said both Miss Baldwin and Miss Daniels. "Neither of us can sleep since that night when we stood outside the Rubenstein shoe store and saw Stacey fire these two shots into Rubenstein's body," continued Miss Daniels, speaking for both of the girls.

She then re-told the story on the stand at the coroner's inquest of how she and her companion looked into the store as they were passing that night, saw two men scuffling and then saw the flashes as John Stacey fired through his coat pocket and killed Rubenstein. When they saw the shots the girls called J. D. McCool from the filling station across the street and he called the police, an ambulance and the hospital.

RECOGNIZE BRAVERY.

It was in recognition of their coolness that night and in recognition of the bravery of J. D. McCool who came at their call and held Stacey at the point of a gun until the police arrived, that the fund was made up and presented them.

"We want you to put it in the paper that we appreciate the gifts that have been made to us," said each of the three when they received their portions of the money. "Tell everybody who gave to the fund that we are deeply grateful and appreciative of what they have done."

Other funds have been collected about the city from various sources and altogether the three probably will receive a considerable remuneration for their action on the night of the shooting.

# Y. W. C. A. TO GIVE CHRISTMAS PARTY

## Clubs Unite to Spread Joy and Cheer.

The date of Dec. 20 at 7 o'clock in the evening has been set for the annual Christmas party given by the Y. W. C. A. for the children of the city who can not look forward to much Christmas cheer in their own homes.

The Christmas tree and the gifts will come from the combined clubs of the association, and invitations are being sent out to about sixty children under the age of twelve years who are to attend with their mothers. There will be a gift for each child.

The invitations are attractive affairs with a picture of Santa Claus on each one. Besides the mothers and the children who are invited the fathers are welcome.

Only children who receive the invitations are expected at this party as the names have been provided by the Social Service Bureau.

# BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Eyer, 248 North Charles street, Dec. 8, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Derr, 865 South Jindrie street, Sunday, Dec. 7, a son; weight, eight and a half pounds.

To Mr. and Mrs. G. Moore, 880 West Packard street, at the Decatur and Macon County hospital, Dec. 6, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith, 2080 North Union street, at the Decatur and Macon hospital, Dec. 6, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. George Dean, Fairlawn cemetery, at the Decatur and Macon County hospital, Dec. 5, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mesnard, 1190 West Macon street, at the Decatur and Macon County hospital, Dec. 7, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hull, 1163 East Cerro Gordo street, at the Decatur and Macon County hospital, Dec. 7, a son.

To Mrs. Nellie Heins, 603 East North street, Dec. 6, in the Decatur and Macon County hospital, a son, Mr. Heins died recently.

# CHARLES WESTON TO GET CONTRACT

## Makes Lower Bid on Cleveland Ave. Job.

## WORK IS STARTED

## File and Collins to Lose Preliminary.

The contract for the widening of Cleveland avenue, awarded ten days ago to File & Collins probably will have to be re-awarded to Charles Weston on his bid of ten per cent beneath the File & Collins bid, it appeared Monday morning. The council was to meet at 3 p. m. Monday to receive some additional affidavits in connection with the Weston bid which were not included in his presentation Monday morning.

Last week Mr. Weston had presented to the council a bid of ten per cent beneath File & Collins' bid, resting his claim for a re-award upon a statute which provides that property owners assessed for an improvement may submit a lower bid and receive the contract if the offer is made within the ten day limit after the publication of the original award.

MADE LOWER BID.

Mr. Weston, a property owner on the project made this offer but was told by City Attorney Lee Boland that the statute provided that a majority of the frontage on the project must make the petition.

Monday morning Mr. Weston renewed his offer and in an affidavit attached to the bid stated that he had become agent for the majority of the property owners. Everything in the offer was "ship shape," with the exception that City Attorney Boland required that before final action was taken by the council, the affidavit should contain the names of the property owners petitioning for the re-award and the frontage represented.

TO GET NAMES.

Mr. Weston was inclined to doubt the necessity of this and seemed to think that the council was "stalling," but was assured that the city was perfectly willing to make the award to him but wanted to have all of the negotiations in legal form so that there would be no "come-back." Mr. Weston departed to secure the necessary additions and returned with them and his attorney soon after the council was adjourned. Another meeting was called for 3 p. m.

The move on the part of the property owners was an unexpected one and one that will cause some loss to File & Collins who had already started to work on the project. That firm had assumed the responsibility of starting the job before the ten-day period following the publication of award was up, hoping to get as much work done as possible before severe winter set in. They will suffer the loss and have no recourse.

In the petition for re-award more than three-fourths of the frontage on the project is represented and ten property owners are involved, exclusive of Mr. Weston himself.

# LIONS WILL URGE MORE CARRIER PAY

## Vote to Write to Congressmen.

A petition from the city mail carriers that the Lions club take action on their wage scale by writing to Congressmen and Senators to support them in their fight was read and acted upon by the club in its noonday meeting, Monday.

The forty or more Lions present voted unanimously that a communication be drafted and sent to each of the congressmen and senators from this district asking for the wage increase and expressing the desire that false economy in the post office department cease.

This action followed a talk by Mayor Elder who said that the inefficiency of the post office department is deplorable, and said that in the matter of handling parcel post mail no improvement has been made in the railway mail cars since the parcel post system was established.

Failure of the program, which had been promised by the Empress theater to appear, caused an impromptu program of songs and brief speeches from members. H. F. Carmichael gave a brief talk on the Galesburg meeting. The Christmas party plans were turned over to the entertainment committee which is to report at the next meeting.

# TO GIVE PLAY AT ANTIOCH BAPTIST

**Ever Ready Club Will Present "Dust of the Earth."**

The Every Ready club of the Antioch Baptist church will present today and wired the Tuscola auditorium Tuesday evening. This is an interesting play, full of mystery, romance, pathos and fun. The cast of characters is as follows:

David Moore of Maple Farm cottage—Marcellus Polk.

Susan Moore, his wife—Mrs. Vandyke.

Elizabeth, their daughter—Anna Erving.

Jerry, their son—Paton Valentine.

Rev. Dr. Templeton, a young divine—Dr. Allen.

Miss Arabella, the village newsraper—Ethel Steward.

John Ryder, the young master of the Maples—William Vandyke.

Wandering Tom, a mystery—M. C. Jones.

Old Morse, his companion—James Thompson.

Nell, the dust of the earth—Stella Walters.

# WABASH PAYDAY BEFORE CHRISTMAS

## First One on Dec. 12 and Next Dec. 22.

As is customary, the Wabash has put out a bulletin that the pay period for the first half of December will be from Dec. 1 to 12, both dates inclusive. This is three days short of the usual but is made so in order to give the paymaster time to put out the pay checks and pay three days in advance of Christmas. Ordinarily pay day falls on the 25th of the month.

**Railroad Notes.**

Wabash passenger train No. 4 east out of Decatur at 11:30 Sunday morning had to detour via the I. C. from Tolono to Champaign, due to a derailed car in Kansas City No. 91. A broken wheel under a car of auto parts broke a half mile west of Pillo and left its mark on the rail for three miles until it became derailed and blocked the main tracks.

Engineer Al Farmer of the Wabash freight service is marked off injured, having strained some ligaments in his leg while making a trip.

Jim Hinton of the Wabash north end freight service has been assigned as second extra engineer at Decatur.

L. R. Stark, C. I. and W. freight house clerk at Decatur, is off duty on account of an ulcerated tooth.

# "DAD" ROMPEL TALKS TO ROTARY

## Speaks on Ideals and Work of Club.

The speaker at the Rotary club meeting at the Y. M. C. A. annex Monday noon was Rev. H. E. ("Dad") Rompel of Joliet, who is immediate past governor of the fortieth district of Rotary International. His subject was the ideals and work of Rotary.

"The influence of Rotary may be inferred from the fact that it has clubs in every state in the union, in nine provinces of Canada, and in twenty-nine foreign countries," he said.

DEVELOP FRIENDSHIP.

"The development of friendship and a spirit of trustfulness is one of our chief aims. The average man, when he lays down a dollar on a merchant's counter, feels that he is being beat out of fifty cents. And when he goes into an office, it is with a brick behind his back.

"The Rotary ideal of service is but another way of putting the Master's words, 'I came not to be ministered to, but to minister.'"

BOYS' WORK.

The speaker also dwelt on boys' work, business ethics and civics committees as important activities of Rotary.

"The future of the United States depends on what our boys become," he stated. "And don't forget that boys' work means that first of all you must be a chum to your own boy."

A very pleasing bit of enterrainment was given by the Misses Bessie and Margaret Kuhle, the latter whistling several songs to her sister's piano accompaniment.

# PET STOCK SHOW OPENS TUESDAY

## To Be Held in 200 Block West Wood.

The fourth annual show of the Central Illinois Allied Pet Stock Association will open to the public Tuesday and continue throughout the week and next Sunday in the 130th infantry armory in the 200 block West Wood street. Monday morning, workmen were setting up the pens and cages for the various exhibits and during the morning, some of these started to arrive.

The show will include dogs, cats, rabbits, pigeons, cage birds and other kinds of pets. All of these will be on exhibit the entire show except with the dogs and cats. The latter will be on show Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, while the dogs will be on hand Friday, Saturday and Sunday. This show always brings together some of the finest and fanciest of pets in Illinois and adjoining states.

# AT THE PINES

The schedule at the Pines this week is as follows:

Monday—Kindergarten, library.

Tuesday—Seventh street Christian church Ladies' Aid in afternoon.

Wednesday—East Park Baptist church Ladies' Aid in the afternoon; Hi-Y club supper.

Thursday—O. B. Violet club meeting all day. Tip boys meeting in the evening.

# MEETINGS

Ladies' Auxiliary to I. A. M.—Meeting at 7:30 Tuesday evening at 1857 East William.

Myrtle Temple, No. 2, Pythian Sisters—Meeting at 7:30 Monday night in Pythian Castle hall. Election of officers and initiation.

Decatur Review, No. 173, W. B. A.—Meeting Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the G. A. R. hall. Election of officers.

Ionic Lodge, No. 312, A. F. and A. M.—Stated meeting Monday night at 7:30 in the Eldorado Temple.

Loyal Americans—Regular meeting of Assembly 322, Tuesday evening, G. A. R. hall.

**Knew His Range.**

Ohio State Sun Dial: Bride (to salesman)—Please, sir, I'd like a little oven.

Salesman—Er—pardon me. Not while your husband's along.

# I. T. S. Men Willing To Drop Increase But Ask More Pay For Overtime

## All Trains at Standstill With Mail Moving on Steam Roads—Freight Held Up.

Without a wheel turning on the Illinois Traction system because of the strike of the trainmen, A. McGuire, International representative of the Street and Electric Railway employes of America, declared in Springfield at noon Monday that the men were willing to yield their demands for a ten per cent increase, if the company would grant time and a half for overtime.

This offer had not been carried to the officials of the company. The object of the overtime is to relieve of the twelve, fourteen and sixteen hour days that the men report they are forced to do. Local trainmen also indicated that the overtime was the main contention. The company maintains that it cannot increase wages.

There was a report that one train was operated out of St. Louis Sunday morning but this it developed was simply a train that started from St. Louis before the midnight hour and did not arrive in Springfield until rather late Sunday morning.

VANCONIA AT HOME.

Headquarters for the general committee of the strikers is in Springfield but each of the five chairmen who form this committee are back in their respective home towns conducting the fight. John Vanconia, chairman for the Decatur lodge stated Monday noon that things were absolutely at a standstill as far as negotiations were concerned and that the company had not sent any communication to the men nor had the men sent any to the company. It is simply a matter of marking time. The announcement of the strike Sunday morning came as a complete surprise to many people and many of them were compelled to rearrange plans for the day in regard to traveling.

SHOPS KEEP GOING.

The strike, it is said, will not affect the shop forces at Decatur and probably would not for a long time for the shopmen have a great deal of work right on hand in the shops now to keep them busy. One thing for instance is the completion of the six new, big electric locomotives being built at the Decatur shops.

Other employes of the company were on duty Monday with little to do. For instance, the dispatchers sat at their desks but they didn't have their headphones on. Occasionally his phone would buzz and it would be an official in some other town calling some official in Decatur.

AGENTS ON DUTY.

Out at all the passenger stations, the agents were all on duty but had nothing to do except "sit tight." There were no tickets to sell and no freight or baggage to route.

The mail that was handled on some of the trains was temporarily shifted to steam roads to handle.

The strike found a small amount of perishable freight on hand in the freight houses of the company. The company employed automobile trucks and delivered their stuff. However, stuff known as dead freight, simply waited in the freight house for movement when the strike should be ended. It was estimated that there was about six carloads of this stuff at the Decatur freight house for eastbound movement.

SEND OUT PAY.

The pay checks of the men were sent out from Champaign Monday morning, going to Springfield by Illinois Central. Trainmaster McNeil at Decatur drove over in his auto to Springfield to get the payroll of the Decatur men.

M. L. Harry, manager of the Decatur division for the I. T. S. who has been in the east and who did not expect to return home until the latter part of the week, was immediately informed of the strike and is expected to arrive home in Decatur Monday night.

About seventy men are affected in Decatur.

# SCRAPS OF NEWS

LAKE LEVEL.

The lake level at noon Monday was 610.15, as compared to 610.1 at the same hour Sunday.

COUNTY COURT OPENS.

The December term of the county court convened Monday morning with Judge J. H. McCoy on the bench. The first case taken up was that of Leva Taylor, colored, indicted for possessing and selling liquor, her case having been certified down from the circuit court. There are six counts in the indictment, the last being a charge of maintaining a nuisance.

TWO MORE BAD CHECKS.

Two more bad checks passed by William Jenkins, the colored forger Saturday, showed up Monday morning. One was for $34.95 and the other for $26.45. Jenkins would have done a big business in Decatur if Officer Gibbons had not headed him off.

TO ELECT OFFICERS.

Election of officers for the coming year will be held by the Easterly Camp, No. 1626, M. W. A. next Wednesday night. A large attendance is desired. Refreshments will be served free of charge to members.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE.

A nominating committee which will select officers and directors for the Sunnyside Golf club for the coming year has been announced as follows: J. D. Johnson, chairman, Art Dawson, secretary, H. W. Cadwallader, L. H. Blakeney, David Oakes, C. P. Cline, C. L. Hatfield, J. F. Wallace, R. O. Fishback, L. L. Hamman, H. W. Pyburn.

TO PRESENT FLAG.

Members of the Decatur Woman's Relief Corps will go to the Ullrich school Wednesday morning for the 9 o'clock assembly when they will present a flag to the school. It is expected that a large number of the women will be in attendance.

LEO JOHNSON TO SPEAK.

Leo Johnson, athletic director at Millikin university, will be a speaker at the Roosevelt Hi-Y club football banquet which will be held at the Roosevelt lunch room Tuesday night. The afafir is given for the Roosevelt football squad.

RIVERSIDE FATHERS.

A called meeting of the Riverside Fathers' club will be held at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the school house to complete arrangements for a jitney supper to be served Friday night, Dec. 12. All the men of the district are expected to be present.

JASPER FATHERS.

The Jasper School Fathers' club will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the school. All fathers in the Jasper school community are invited to attend.

HOLLY ON SALE.

Holly has appeared as promised, in the local grocery stores. It sells at forty cents a pound and made wreaths are twenty-five cents.

FEEDS PIGEONS.

Venice and its famous St. Mark's Square have nothing on Decatur when it comes to pigeons. J. E. Yohe, the jeweler, set out some wheat for the birds Monday morning and they came in flocks to the corner of East Prairie and Merchant streets. The pigeons were very tame when they were feeding, and ate out of his hand.

DRUM CORPS TONIGHT.

Members of the Castle Williams Post Legion drum corps will report to the East Main street armory at 6:30 o'clock Monday evening in uniform. After a rehearsal, the corps will attend the Legion rabbit supper in the First Christian church.

# WHITMAN MAY BE ON U. S. PAYROLL

Joliet, Ill., Dec. 8—Warden John L. Whitman of the Illinois state penitentiary has been summoned to Washington by Assistant Attorney William J. Donovan, according to word given out at the warden's office today. He refused to given any information regarding the nature of the conference that is planned upon his arrival at the capital. Warden Whitman is a penologist of note and it is believed that the summons means he will be offered a position in connection with the federal prison.

# MARRIAGE LICENSE

Floyd L. Padgett, Assumption ..... 21
Florence Hollen, Decatur ..... 20

**Organize Illiopolis Troop.**

About twenty boys were present at the organization meeting of troop 1 in Illiopolis last Friday night. Rev. C. E. Barnett of the Christian church there will be the scoutmaster. The group met in the city hall. J. B. Austin of Decatur, assisted in the organization.

**Why They Do It.**

Man—"I don't want a large photo taken."

Photographer—"All right, then just keep your mouth close."

# CITY WORKERS INCONVENIENCED

One young woman who works in Decatur but lives at Milmine telephoned to her employer Sunday that if he wanted her to come to work Monday he would have to send an auto after her as the only train stopping there was at 6 o'clock in the evening and she had no other way of getting in with all I. T. S. trains at a stand still.

A man in Springfield Monday wanted to get to Decatur and was forced to hire an auto when he missed the train by three minutes.

A number of people who come into Decatur to work also had to find other means of getting here Monday.

# RAILROAD DOES RUSHING BUSINESS

The old saying about the ill-wind is again proven in the passenger business done Sunday and Monday by the Wabash between Decatur and Springfield and Decatur and Champaign, due to the interurban strike.

Of course it was all what is called "local" travel between these points but the steam road Monday reported that it was selling about three times as many tickets as usual to Springfield and Champaign. Passenger train No. 4 from the west Sunday morning made a stop at every town between Decatur and Springfield to pick up and discharge passengers. Ordinarily it breezes through about all of these towns without a stop.

The Illinois Central ticket office reported a slight noticeable increase in its business north to Bloomington and Peoria.

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